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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, 24TH OCTOBER, 1873.

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Intimations.

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For Freight or Passage, apply to OLYPHANT & Co.,

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i 1759 - Nougkong, 24th October, 1873.

FOR SALE!

KUALWA HEN; XERCISES in the Yedo Colloquial for the

will be desputched for the above port TI

1758 Hongkong, 24th October, 1878,

THE U.S. N. Co.'s Steamer

AFTERNOON, at 4 o'clock.

THE Nederland Schooner

will have immediate despatch.

For Freight, apply to

Arrivals,

Oct. 23, Acantha, British str., 652, Young, LYONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING Whampon October 22nd.—OLYPHANT & Oct. 23, Diomed, Brit. str., 1,201, Jackson,

Shanghai 17th Oct., and Foochow 21st, Tea and General -- BUTTERFIELD & Oct. 28, MEIRONG, Fron. str., 1,800, Foache, Marseilles Sept. 14th, and Saigon 19th

October, General.—Messageries Mari- 1. Joest, Esq. Oct. 23, Camors, Portuguese g-b., 80, J. M. F. Guimares, Macao 23rd October. Oct. 23, Zanga, Pritish bark, 428, George Farran, Ney, Satle, N.S.W., 26th Aug.,

Coals.-NAVAL STOREKEEPER. Oct. 23, YOTTUNG, Brit. str., 323, R. Kentwell, Whampon 23rd October.—Kwor-ACHEONG. Oct. 23, CINGALES, British blc., 339, Anton, 1

Departures.

Whampon 22nd Oct.—Chinese.

Oct. 23. Great Republic, str., for Yokohama and San Francisco. Oct. 23, CHINA, str., for Singapore, &c.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. OCTOBER 23RD. Great Republic, str., for Yokohama, &c. China, str., for Singapore, &c. Regalia, str., for Saigon and Bangkok.

Passengers. -

Hongkong, str., for Shanghan.

Per Diomed. str., from Shanghai, &c.,— Three second class and 32 Chinese. Per Meikong, str., from Saigon, &c., -For Hongkong.—Mr. and Mrs. Kyle, Mr. and Mrs. Pereira and infant, Mine. Taradeau, Mmc. Antonia Dolores, Mme. Vrue de Varadean. Messrs. Heart, Griguel, Bain, J. D. Onate, Rothdaucher, Homan, Adam Sienkierriez, Pereira, Erguinga, Domingo, Wibaux, and 48 Chinese. For Shanghai .- Mme. Hughes, Mesers, Bridon, Cooper, F. du Jardin, Edel, Muller, Sibilie, Bueddinghauss, L. Platon, Souer Me Magdeline, Souer Me St. Candide. For Yokohama.—Messrs. Fabre and Mourin d'Arfenille.

Per Great Republic, str., for Yokohama and San-Francisco :---Messrs. E. H. House, R. Oshikoje, and Gustav Wieler, and 109 Chinese. Por China, str., for Singapore, &c.:— Mr. and Mrs. Woodford and four children.

Mesere. Jaffer Majee and Hackling, and 156

Chinese. .Per Regalia, str., for Saigon and Bangkok 4= Per Hongkong, etr., for Shanghai :-

Mrs. Bauermann.

Keports.

The British bark Zanga reports left Newcas: Queen's Road ctle, N.S.W., on the 26th August; had first part fresh N.W. winds to Nofolk Island, from thence light Easterly winds and much calm weather: passed Bashee Islands at .5 p.m. on the 20th October, then strong N.E. gales until within 50 miles of Hongkong; during the gales lost some

The British steamship Diomed reports left Shanghai on 17th October, and Foochow on the 21st; slipped from company's buoy at 9.30 a.m. on the 17th, proceeded down the river, and at II a.m. anchored for want of water on the bar; at 10 p.m. crossed the bar, and anchored outside the red buoy all night; at 6 a.m. on the Di H O T O G-R A P H E R 18th weighed anchor and proceeded to sea; had light Southerly winds to Hicshan Islands ; from thence N.W. winds and rain to Foochow, which was reached at 11 a.m. on the 20th, took in 1,065 tons of tea, and left at 10 a.m. on the H. I. H. THE GRAND DUKE ALEXIS OF 21st, with fresh N.N.E. winds to Hongkong, arrived at 7 a.m. on the 23rd; in Foochow. steamship Gordon Castle, and the British ships Carmarthenshire and Caroline; met steamship Douglas off the bar, bound in....

Vessels that have arrived in Europe from Ports in China, Japan and Manıla. (Per last Mail's Advice.)

Date of Arrival Vessels. Bront. Japan (s)Shanghai.....Sept. 11 Deucation (s) China Ports Sept. 11 Yrorac But (a).....Manila.....Sept. 1

Vessels Expected at Hongkoing. (Corrected to Date.)

Vessel's Name. Moses Day Cardiff... Labrador Newcastle May Albert Victor London June 10 City of Foodbow., Cardiff......June Yoivo Cardiff June 26 F. Calderon (a)....Greenock.......July LothairLondonJuly 11 Dronning Louise . Hamburg July 17 Banian.......London......Aug. Adelia Carlton....New York.....Aug. 12 Ulysses (s)....Liverpool.....Sept. Korsser Cardiff Sept. ...Oardiff.....Sept. Olympia (s)London......Sept.

Auction Sales To-day.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., At 12 noon, Sundry Goods, &c.

CHAS. H. MORGAN, ...

NOTICE.

MR. FRANCIS CHOMDEY has requested sequently admitted. What his name be taken off the list of Directors of The Inno-Chinese Sugar Com-PANY, LIMITED. 14d 1722 Hongkong, 17th October, 1873. NOTICE.

TO OWNERS OF PROPERTY IN HONGKONG,

ABSENTEE AND RESIDENT. BARRINGTON & ALGAR

HOUSE AGENTS

VALUATORS,

_ 0, Hollywood Road, Hongkong,_

DARRINGTON & ALGAR having had 8 De venra experience in the above business, undertake the personal Collection of Rents, VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY effecting Repairs, and General Management of House Property, at a moderate rate of Commission. Valuations, &c., made. REFERENCES. Security if required. 1470 Hengkong, September 1873. NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. distribution of Twenty per cont. (20 %) of the you may allof to....., and agree to pay the WILL, &c., of above Company.

stored therein, subject to a bonus of 20 per ly admitted. MELCHERS & Co. Bm 1618. Hongkong, 1st October, 1873.

Banks.

CORPORATION.

Court of Directors:-Chairman +S. D. Sassoon, Esq. Deputy Chairman-W. H. FORBES, Esq. Win. Lomann, Esq. E. R. Belilios, Esq. A. F. Heard, Esq. Thos. Pyke, Esq. Hon. R. Rowett.

Hongkong-James Greig, Esq., Shanghai—Ewon Cameron, Esq. andan Bankers-London and County Bank

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent, per annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:-

For 3 months' 2 per cent. per annum LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits-granted on approved Scentities, and every description of Banking and Exchange basiness transacted.

Drafts-granted on London, and the chie commercial places in Europe, India: Australia, America, Chin, and Japan. JAMES GREIG. Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation; No. 1. Queen's Road East.

it 1062] "Hongkong, 22nd October, 1873. COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS. T NCORPORATED by National Decrees of 1 7th and 8th March, 1848, and by Imperial Decrees of 25th July, 1854, and 31st December,

VENTION OF 30TH APRIL, 1862.

Francs. & Sterling $\textbf{PAID-UP CAPITAL}......80,000,000 \quad \textbf{3,200,000}$ RESERVE FUND......20,000,000 800,000 HEAD OFFICE.—14, Rue Bergere, Paris. LONDON AGENCY.—144, Leadenhall Street AGENCIES -- At Nantes, Lyons, Marseilles, Roubaix, Brussels, Alexandria, Bombay, Cul-

Denie (He de la Rounion.) and Yokohama. London Bankers—Union Bank of London Hongkong Agency.

outta, Hongkong, Shanghai, Saigon, Saint

Interest Allowed . --On current deposit accounts at the rate of 2 % per annum on the monthly minimum balances; 21 %, subject to 15 days' notice of withdrawal; and 3 %, subject to one month's notice.

For 3 months 3 % per annum. PHILIPPE. Acting Manager. Offices in Hongkong: Bank Buildings.

876 Hongkong, 2nd June, 1873. BAKER & Co. TAVE just received a large lot of WOOL GOODS: consisting of OPERA CLOAKS and HOODS... PILERINES,

LADIES' and CHILDREN'S JACKETS, &c., &c., &c. 24. Queen's Road Central, Im 1616 Hongkong, 1st October, 1873.

-- H. E. SIR ARTHUR KENNEDY, Governor of Honghong;

Invites inspection of his large Collection of VIEWS of FOOCHOW, SWATOW, HONGRONG,

CANTON, WEST RIVER, SIECHEW, and MACAO. WYNDHAM STREET: 6ml Formerly occupied by Athletic Club.) [1654

LICK HOUSE. CORNER MONTGOMERY AND SUTTE

STREETS, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. THE "LIOK" offers unsurpassed accommodation for Tourists, being certrally located, Canul. unequalled for comfort, while its Dining Hall is P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

and having borse cars for all parts of the city passing its door. Its rooms and suites are acknowledged to be the most elegant room of its kind in America, or the Continent. Its cuisme is second to no institution of its kind: every luxury of the season, prepared by the ablest of cooks, being daily placed on its tables. In fact, the "LICK" offers to the Tourist a home, where every attention is guaranteed for Winchester Repeating Arms and Ammunition, the comfort of its guests that the most careful Du Pont's Blasting and Sporting Powder. Lake judgment of experienced men in their several Superior and Pacific Fuse Company's Safety callings, can afford. [3m 1477]

THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole L Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messrs, J. & R. Tennent, Glasgow, and Mesers David Corear & Sons Arbroath.

ARNHOLD, KARRERG & 66. tf 419 Hongkong, January, 1867. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COM PANY, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1872. CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to furnish the undersigned

with a list of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the A. Joost, Esq., of Messrs. Siemssen & Co. distribution of Iwenty per cent. (20 %) of the Nett Profits reserved for Contributors, may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st October next, will be adjusted by the Coin-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers. tf 1069 Hongkong, 1st July, 1873. CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company \$2,500 cach, with \$500 per Share paid up, in. are requested to furnish the Undersigned stend of 250 Shares of \$5,000, with 1,000 per with a list of their Contributions for the Year. Share paid up. ending 31st December last, in order that the Distribution of Twenty-five por cent. (25 %) of the Net Profits reserved for Contributors, may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st October neat, will be adjusted by the Company, and no-claims or alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. Secretary. 4m 1082 Hongkong, 1st July, 1873. OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1872. To the Provisional Committee of the CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to furnish the undersigned with a list of their Contributions for the year to Shares in the above Society, and . ended 31st December, 1872, in order that the agree to accept such Shares or any less number Agents of the above Company at this port, arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the and all subsequent Onlis, and to subscribe the the extent of \$45,000, on Buildings, or on Goods puny, and no claims nor alterations subsquent. so.

> AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., 4m 1079 Hongkong, 1st July, 1873.

To be Let.

TO LET. THE "BLUE BUNGALOW," situated at L Albany Road. Possession from the 1st of November next. E. R. BELILIOS. tf 1636 Hongkong, 3rd October, 1873.

TO LET. With prompt possession.
TO. 10, UPPER MOSQUE TERRACE, CORNER HOUSE, with good view Four Rooms, Bath and Dressing Rooms, Out Houses, &c. Water laid on. Ront, Fifty Dollars per month. Apply to T. G. LINSTEAD. tf 1627 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1873.

TO LET. TIME HOUSE No. 4. at Lower Mosque' 1 race. G. VON OVERBECK. tf 1591 Hongkong, 30th September, 1873.

TO LET. THREE STOREY Comfortable HOUSI A in a respectable locality, Hellywood Road, baving nine rooms and a fine view of the whole Harbour. Gas and Water laid on.

No. 12, HOLLYWOOD ROAD. tf 1464. Hongkong, 4th September, 1873. TO LET.

With immediate possession. THE HOUSE No. 20, Wyndham Street. Gus and Water laid throughout. Apply to J. A. CARVALHO.

tf 1427 Hongkong, lat September, 1878. FOR SALE OR TO LET. ARINE Lot No. 121, Wanchi, fronting on the Praya, now occupied by the HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, as a Ship and Timber Yard. Apply to RECOGNISED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CON-S. E. BURROWS & SONS.

tf 1350 Hongkong, 18th August, 1873. TO LET. THE HOUSES Nos. 3, 4, 6, and 13 in Seymour Terrace. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. tf 1328 Hongkong, 15th August, 1873. THAT Commodious HOUSE No. 5, Chancery Lane. Possession can be had on the

1st September. G. FALCONER & Co. tf 1319 Hongkong, 14th August, 1873.

With immediate possession. L occupied by Mr. A. E. VAUCHER. J. A. DE CARVALHO.

tf. 1236 Hongkong, 1st August, 1873. TO LET. TIME HOUSE No. 1 in Caine Road, near the L . Italian Convent. · Apply to J. J. DOS REMEDIOS & Co.

tf 1161 Hongkong, 19th July, 1873. TO LET. MOMMODIOUS GODOWN and OFFICE 🜙 - in Queen's Road, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

tf 1147 Hongkong, 15th July, 1873. TO LET. TITHE HOUSES Nos. 35, 37, 41, 43, and 45, L – in Wyndbam Street.

. J. dos REMEDIOS & Co. tf 1051 Hongkong, 28th June, 1873. FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOW at Wanchi.

----S.-E. BURROWS & SONS. tf 781 Hongkong, 20th May, 1873.

A. S. WATSON & CO., CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS H.R.H. THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH

H.E. THE GOVERNOR. TDEG to unnounce that they have just received a Choice Assortment of PERFUMERY and TOILET REQUISITES, particularly adapted for the hot season. tf 976 Hongkong, 19th June, 1873.

STEAM TO SOUTHAMPTON via SUEZ

THE GWALION, conveying the homeward mails from Hongkong of 30th October, will proceed to Southampton via the Suez A. McIVER.

Superintendent. Hongkong, 30th September, 1873. TOHN SKINKER, SAN FRANCISCO

CALIFORNIA: Sole Agent on the Pacific Coast for: [ly 721 May 8

NOTICE: UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF -CANTON.

 ${f CAPITAL-1.250.000}$ Dollars, in ${f 500Share}$ OF \$2,500 EACH.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$250,000; OR \$500 PER SHARE.

Provisional Committee. THOMAS PYKE, Esq., of Messrs. Birley & Co. S. D. Sassoon, Esq., of Messrs. David Sassoon Sons & Co.

The Hon, P. RYRIE, of Messrs. Turner & Co. pany, and no claims or alterations will be sub. The Hon. Jas. WHITTALL, of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. H. B. LEMANN, Esq., of Messrs. Giman & Co. OHINE and Screw PRESS, SCALES and

AT a GENERAL MEETING held on Spice MILLS, Copper MEASURES (Gallon TUESDAY, the 1st July, 1873, it was and Litre), FUNNELS, DIPPERS, STRAINresolved to continue the Society from the 1st ERS. STENCILS, HYDROMETERS, SACof January, 1874, on the basis of a continuous OHAROMETERS, Copper SYPHON and ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1872. Office, with an annual reallotment of the Shares, PUMP, Sampling GLASSES, Racking and and to increase the number of Shares to 500 of Bottling TAPS, &c., &c., &c.

Applications for Shares in the new Society, the subjoined form, will be received until Noon of Saturday, the 15th November next, at the Office of the Society in Hongkong, and until Noon of Saturday, the 1st November next, and 1 Pinte,) Filtering FUNNELS and Filter. at the several Agencies of the Society. Forms of Application for Shares are obtain- CORKS, CAPSULES and LABELS of every able from the Secretary in Hongkong, and from description. Six Syphon BOTTLING MAthe Society's Agents at the various ports. By order of the Provisional Committee,

N. J. EDE,

Secretary.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON. GENTLEMEN,---

Thereby request that you will allo

Gentlemen. Your obedient Servant Name.... Auctions.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE ANE. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Queon's Road. THIS DAY,

the 24th October, 1873, at noon,-An Invoice of PERFUMERY, the usual as-Flannel UNDERSHIRTS, Vicana-made PORTMANTEAUS, Walking STICKS, PEN-HOLDERS, Clothes BRUSHES, Printing PAPER, Door LOCKS, Iron HOOKS and THIMBLES, Iron SHEAVES, Pen JACKETS.

1749 Hongkong, 22nd October, 1878. PUBLIC AUCTION:

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at Messrs. Rus-SELL & Co.'s Godown, East Point, (on account of the concerned.) THIS DAY. the 24th October, 1873, at noon,—

357 Bags FLOUR. Mors or less Damaged, ex " Lord of the Isles.") TRUMS.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. CHAS. II. MORGAN. Auctioneer.

FURNITURE SALE. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY, the 27th October, 1873, at 2 o'clock P.M., at the

1755 Hougkong, 23rd October, 1873.

Residence of Captain F. B. N. GRAUFURD, H. M.'s 80th Regiment, No. 13, Seymour Terrace,— The whole of his HOUSEHOLD FURNI-TURF, comprising— Green Rep Covered CHAIRS and COUCHES, Chintz Covered SETTEES, PICTURES, MIR-RORS, CURTAINS, Walnut DAVENPORT, Dining TABLE, SIDEBOARD, ELECTRO-PLATED, GLASS, and CROCKERY WARE. Iron BEDSTEADS, WARDROBES OHEST of DRAWERS, Toilet TABLES,

Toilet GLASSES, A Walnut Cottage PIANO, by J. H. Schwark. 1 Sawing MACHINE. 1 Lady's SEDAN CHAIR. Flower POTS.

MexicaryDollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, of 999 years, being the whole of the Premises THE HOUSE No. 12, Arbuthnot Road, lately with a fainlts and errors of description, at pur- lately occupied by chasers' risk on the fall of the hammer. 1750 Hongkong, 22nd October, 1873. In the matter of THE HONGKONG DISTIL-

LIQUIDATION. 🕺 MESSES. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. and BUSINESS PREMISES, together with have been instructed by the Official Li- the WHARF and PIER, extending into the quidators, to offer for sale by Public Auction, Harbour from the Public Praya, opposite to at an early date, unless previously disposed of the said premises. by private contract, or withdrawn in whole or part, of which due notice will be given,-All the LEASEHOLD and other PRO-PERTY of the above Company, in Lots or in

INLAND LOTS Nos. 749, 781, and 782;] situate at East Point, fronting on Causeway of 1871, and the same are sold subject to the Bay, containing in all Forty-nine thousand five hundred and thirty square-feet, or thereabouts, held under Crown Lease for 999 years, at the aggregate Grown Rent of \$762.62 per annum, with the Messuage and Buildings erected thereon, consisting of One STILL HOUSE, and all information on the subject can be ob47 feet by 36 feet on ground floor, and 40 feet tained on application, at the office of the Underin height; Three FERMENTING HOUSES, signed, where an Inventory of the PLANT, or claims at the Registrar's Office, Supreme 100 by 37 by 21; 66 by 24 by 21; 100 by 40 by FIXTURES, and MACHIVERY may be in- Court House, at such time as shall be specified at the BOTTLING ROOM and OFFICE, specified 100 by 32 by 21; One BOILER SHED, 47 by One Block SERVANTS' QUAR TERS, 64 by 15 by 13; One Detached CHIM-NEY, 80 feet in beight; Two Tiled WATER TANKS, 29 by 7.6 by 6.3, and 26 by 12 by 7.6 One Tiled MIXING TANK, 24 by 12 by 5; One IRON MOLASSES TANK, under Office, capacity 20,000 gallons. DISTILLING PLANT. One COFFEY'S STILL, by Pontifer & Wood, London, with all Pipes, Connections, and Adjuncts, complete capacity 2,000 gallons of Wash perhour, or 4,800 proof gallons of Spirit in 24 hours; One large Copper FRENOH STILL, complete, capacity 1,000 gallons Proof Spirit per day. One EGROT'S PATENT STILL, Copper, 400 gallons per day, One DEROSNE'S DISTILLING APPARA. TUS, Copper, double pair, 300 gallons per day, One Copper LIQUEUR STIL!, 200 gallons per day. One large GERMAN STILL, capacity-unknown, ps-it-has never been-worked. One small TESTING STILL, Copper, 50 gallons per day (day meaning 24 hours.) All these Stills are fitted with Cooks, Pipes, Condensors, &c., complete. They are fitted at present for working by Steam, but with the exception of the Coffey's Still, can be worked over naked fires. Six STEAM PUMPS, one large mixings 6 in diameter, 16 in stroke; Two WASH lating, and 200 H.P. nominal. PUMPS, 5 'n. diameter and 10 in. stroke, and | She is expressly fitted and well adapted for 4 in. diameter and 7 in. stroke: One WATER the coasting trade, has ample accommodation 1873, at Elèven of the clock in the forence of PUMP, 31 in. diameter, 12 in. stroke, (all the for passengers, and is well and fayourably that day precisely, at the said Court. above double acting); One FEINTS PUMP, 4 known as a comfortable sea-boat. in diameter, 5 in stroke; One small FEED | She is well found in Ground Tackle, Deck, PUMP. Two SHIP'S PURTABLE HAND and Engine Room Departments, requiring only PUMPS and HOSE. Two SPIRIT RE- Coal to proceed to sea. CEIVERS, 8 ft. by 13 by 5. One FEINTS' RECEIVER, 8 ft. by 3.6 by 5. One Iron WA. proved Bank Cheque on fall of the hammer TER TANK, 17 ft. by 9 by 3.6. - One STEAM | balance, on transfer, within three days. Ex-RECEIVER, with Reducing Valve, &c. Two pense of transfer to be borne by the purchaser. BOILERS, one new, 20 by 6, the other 2 years, old, 18 by 5.6, with Feeder, Steam Pipes, Valves, errors of description, as she lays, and will be at &c., thoroughly complete. Twelve LARGE and One hundred and six SMALL FERMENT-ING BACKS, capacity of former 180,000 gallons, of latter 90,000, with Connections, &q., all particulars, apply to in good order, and rendy for use. Also, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., in good order, and rendy for use. Also, FORGE, VIOE, Blacksmith's and Tinsmith's TOOLS, HOISTING APPARATUS, SPARE PIPING (11, 2, 3, and 4 inch.,) BENDS; TEES, and THIMBLES to match, Brase 3 way Plug COOKS, 150 2 in. Brass BEER TAPS,

H. Lowcock, Esq., of Messrs. Gibb, Livingston never used, &c. Also, OFFICE FURNI-& Co. TURE, DESKS, Fireproof SAFE, &c. All the MATERIALS and UTENSILS used in the Bottling and Compound Room, consisting of Copper Mixing UANS, Pulping MA-WEIGHTS, RESTLES and MORTARS,

All CASKS (consisting of Puncheons, Hogsheads, Barrels, Quarter Casks, Octaves, and Kegs,) Molasses TUBS, Cooper's TOOLS, GRINDSTONES, Branding IRONS, Press HOOPS and COOPERAGE. BOTTLES, (consisting of Magnums, Quarts, Pints, & Pints, ing OLOTH and PAPER, Pint and Quart CHINES, BOTTLE WASHING APPARA-TUS CORKING and CAPSULING MA-CHINES. Also, the entire STOCK of LIQUORS on

hand, consisting of SPIRIT, RUM, GIN, BRANDY, OLD TOM, LIQUEURS, BIT. ters, syrups, cordials, perfumes, &c., &c., together with the Parcels of SEEDS, ROOTS, BERRIES, HERBS, SPICES, AL-KALIES, ESSENCES, Distilled WATERS, Essential OILS, COLORS, &c. Also, all CONTRACTS, Trade FIXTURES, and GOOD-Full particulars may be obtained on applicaare prepared to grant Polices ngainst Fire to 81st October next, will be adjusted by the Com- Articles of Association when called upon to do tion to the Undersigned, to whom all tenders are to be made, and by whom orders to inspect the Premises will be granted.

> CALWELL & BRERETON, Solicitors to the Liquidators. tf 1711 Hongkong, 16th October, 1873.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions I from J. R. WHITE, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, on

the 28th day of October, 1873, at noon, at the

House known as "Commercial Billiand ROOMS," No. 5, Hollywood Road,-The whole of his HOUSEHOLD FURNI-TURE, OFFICE FURNITURE, BILLIARD TABLES, BAR FIXTURES, &c., comprising COUCHES, CHAIRS, PIER GLASSES, EN-GRAVINGS, GASALIER, Dining TABLE, SIDEROARDS, WHATNOTS, Dinner, Des-TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in sert, and Breakfast SETS, GLASS WARE, fexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, PLATED WARE, PUNKAHS, CARPETS, Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, RUGS. BEDSTEADS, WARDROBES. Toilet with all faults and errors of description, at pur-GLASTES and TABLES, PENDERS an Fire IRONS, Book SHELVES, BOOKS, Office DESKS. &c.

> 2 Copper Soda Water CYLINDERS. 1 American SCALE.

2 American Carcon BILLIARD TABLES by Strahl & Co. 2 First class full-size BILLIARD TABLES. y Thurston. 1 First-class full size BILLIARD TABLE. by Sherwood.

SUNDRY STORES, comprising WINE. CHAMPAGNE, BEER, PICKLES, CHUT-NEY, SAUCE, &c. Ontalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, 1742 Hongkong, 21st October, 1873. PUBLIC AUCTION.

VALUABLE BUSINESS PREMISES, GO-DOWNS, PIER, PLANT, AND MACHINERY.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (unless previously disposed of by Private Con-

TUESUAY. the 11th Nevember, 1873, at Noon, Upon the promises,-All that VALUABLE PROPERTY, hel TERMS OF SALE—Cash before delivery in under Crown Leases for the Residue of Terms

THE HONGKONG PIER AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, LERY COMPANY, LIMITED, IN Lots Nos. 29, 29A, 80, and 80A, and consisting of a Commodious DWELLING HOUSE, EX-TENSIVE WAREHOUSES, GODOWNS,

> Also, the ENGINES, STEAM CRANES WAGGONS, CARTS, CARRIAGES, ROPES, GEAR, MACHINERY, and FIXTURES, lately used by the said Company, and now in or about the said premises. The Company was authorized to construct the said Wharf and Pier by Ordinance No. 11

rights of the Crown. The Vendors bave been in communication with the Government, as to the facilities which of No. 29, Queen's Road, Hongkong, the Soliwould be afforded to purchasers to carry on a citors of the Liquidators of the said Company, similar business to that of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from

money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, bution made before such debts are proved. and the balance on completion of the Transfer at his own expense. The Property to be at the Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,

<u> 1603 Hongkong, 30th September, 1873.</u> PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned have been favoured with instructions, to offer for Public Competi-

tion, at an early date (if not previously disposed of) at their Sales Room, Kinngse Road, THE BRITISH PADDLE STEAMER as she now lies in the Hwangpoo. -"-*N-A-N Z I-N G:"-*-The "NANZING" is an Iron Steame heavily plated, built on the Clyde, by-Messra

Tod & McGregor, in 1862. Length.....210 feet. Breadth......27.6. Her Engines, by the same builders, are oscil

TERMS OF SALE. - One-third cash or an The Vessel will be sold with all faults and the risk of the purchaser' on the the fall of the

For Inventory, cards to view, and any further

KRUPPS CAST STEEL WORKS ESSEN (GERMANY.) SOLE AGENT FOR CHINA AND JAPAN, tf 1671 Hongkong Shanghai, Cologne (Germany. NOW READY.

TOUND VOLUMES of the TRADE RE-D. PORT for the year 1872. Price \$10. Apply at the Daily Press Office. Hongkong, 1st February, 1873. FOODHOW DOCK

PAGODA ANOHORAGE. THE above Granite-floored DOCK has lately been LENGTHENED to 400 feet over al and is now-cupable of receiving vessels up to

380 feet on the keel. The breadth of the Dock

at the bottom is 40 feet, at the top 80 feet, and

the width at the entrance is 56 feet. Depth of

water on the sill 13 feet at average neap, and 17 feet at average spring tides. The Dock has a Caisson Gate, and is pumped. A new FOUNDRY for large from and brass cantings his recently been added. The Machine Shop contains a 12-inch Screw Cutting Gap-lathe, Small Lathes, Drilling and Screwing Machines, Steam Saw Mill, Large

Dry Godowns are on the premises, available for stowage of cargo, &c.
A large stock of Timber, Metal, and other Dock-yard Material always on hand. -Vessels docked for examination, remetalled respurred, repairs also done in burbour; and iron ships and steamers cleaned and painted, at moderate charges. Particulurs can be obtain-

ed at the Dock, or on application to the under-

The Steam Tug Woosung is in thorough working order, and is available at all times to tow vessels to or from ecn, at reasonable rates. JOHN FURSTER & Co. 11 1039 Foodbow, 18th June, 1878.

Intimations.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE. NOTICE is hereby given, that a GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders of the Can-

TO-DAY, the 24th Oct., 1873, at 3 P.M. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, Canton Insurance Office, 9d 1705 Hongkong, 24th October, 1873.

TON INSURANCE OFFICE will be held at the

Office of the Undersigned, in the Queen's Road,

LL Persons having claims against the firm of AYRES. & Co., Auctioneers, are requested to communicate with the undereigned forthwith, and all Persons indebted to settle their Accounts immediately. H. P. C. LASSEN,

Corner of Wyndham and Wellington Streets. 5d 1740 Hongkong, 18th October, 1873.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

X/HEREAS it has been reported that the VV Cable of the "EASTERN EXTENSION, Australasia, and China Telegraph Com-PANY" has been maliciously cut within the Waters of the Colony. Notice is bereby given, that a REWARD of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS

will be paid to any Person or Persons who shall give such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the offenders. A FREE PARDON will be granted to any Person implicated in the Crime, provided he be not the actual Perpetrator, who may give the required information. By command,

CECIL C. SMITH Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 20th October, 1873. 47d 1741

> NOTICE. In the matter of the COMPANIES' ()R. DINANCE 1865

In the matter of THE HONGKONG PIER AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED. NYOTICE is hereby given, that by a special Resolution of the above named Company dated the Seventeenth day of September, Onethousand eighthundred and seventy-three, it was resolved that the above named Company should be wound-up, pursuant to the provisions in that behalf of the above mentioned Ordinance, and that the Honorable WILLIAM HASTINGS ALEX-ANDER and ATWELL COXON, Esquire, should be, and they were thereby appointed, Liquida. ED, (under contract with the Queensland Goors of the said Company.

All persons indebted to the said Company a FIRST-CLASS STEAMER from Singapore tors of the said Company. are required forthwith to pay the amounts due for the above Ports, on or about the 6th prox. by them respectively unto the said Liquidators. otherwise legal proceedings will be instituted, apply to

for-recovery thereof. Solicitors for the said Liquidators. 29, Queen's Road, Hongkong. NOTICE.

In the matter of the COMPANIES' OR-DINANCE, 1865. In the matter of THE HONGKONG PIER

AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED. IN LIQUIDATION. **INHE** Creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the Fifteenth day of December next, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, in to Messis, CALDWELL & BRERETON, in the said notice, or in default thereof, they TERMS OF SALE.—One-half of the purchase will be excluded from the benefit of any distri-MONDAY, the 12th day of January, 1874, Deed, which is to be made out by the purchaser at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Chambers of the Registrar of the Supreme Court, is

appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims. Dated this 20th day of October, 1873. W. H. ALEXANDER

A. COXON. CALDWELL & BRERETON. Solicitors for the Liquidators. 29. Queen's Road, Hongkong. [7d 1735 IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG-

IN BANKRUPTUY, ATOTICE.—Tong. wook, kee, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, money. changer, having been adjudged Bankrupt, under a petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court of Hongkong in Bankruptcy, on the 11th day of October, 1873, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Honorable WILLIAM HABTINGS ALEXANDER, the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of his Creditors, to be held before the said Registrar on the 31st day of October, The Honorable WILLIAM HASTINGS ALEX-

ANDER is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. ED. SHARP AND TOLLER are the Solicitors acting in the Bankruptcy. A public sitting will bereafter be appointed by the said Court for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination, and to make application for his discharge, of, which sitting notice will be given in the Hongkong Government Gazette. At the first meeting of Creditors the Registrar will receive the proofs of the debts of Creditors, and the Creditors may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate.

debted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, not to deliver the same but to the Official Assignee. Dated this 17th day of October, 1873. [1725 NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY TROM and after this idate-the above Company will allow a Brokerage of Thirtythree and one-third per cent. (331 .) on all

and Effects.

LOCAL RIBER, instead of that of Ten per cent. (10 %) hitberto granted. REGINALD D. STARKEY, 1m-1746 Hongkong, 22nd October, 1873. NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

LILLEY has REMOVED his place of 11. business to No. 20, Lyndburst Terrace, hand for sale :--Christy's HATS \$1.75 each. White SHIRTS, with Linen.

Best SHIRTS, with Linen fronts......\$16.00 Fine Scotch TWEEDS 0.65 per yard. Christy's TOWELS......\$5.50 per dozen. CAMBRICS, for Ladies' Dresses.... An inspection is invited.

E. LILLEY.

fronts \$12.00

1728 Hongkong, 20th October, 1873. A. MILLAR & CO., LTOUSE, SHIP, AND STEAMBOAT PLUMBERS. COPPERSMITHS & BRASSFOUNDERS. No. 1, Queen's Road East and Nullah Lane, Opposite H.M. Naval Dock Yard. tf 387 Hongkong, 1st March, 1871.

DOSITIVE GUVERNMENT SECURITY HIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ly 966 Hongkong, 18th June, 1873.

CHAS. H. MORGAN.

ERNEST SATOW.

use of Students,

Japanese Secretary to H. M.'s Legation in LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. 14d 1760. Hongkong, 24th October, 1873. HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. TURING the Winter months the Steamer POWAN will start for CANTON at 5, instead of 6 P.M., commencing on the let of

November next. By order of the Board of Directors. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents tf 1761 Hongkong, 24th October, 1873. HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS

THOM this dute the DINNER HOUR will 7d 1757 Hongkong, 23rd October, 1873. FOR BATAVIA, BRISBANE, AND SYD-TNEY, CALLING OFF SOMERSET. CARDWELL, BOWEN, AND GLADSTONE, TO LAND MAILS;

PASSENGERS, &c.

THE EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN L MAIL STEAM COMPANY, LIMIT-For information as to Freight, Passage, &c., GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

NO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, TO H. I. H. THE GRAND DUKE ALEXIS OF T. N. DRISCOLL, CIVIL, NAVAL, & MILITARY TAILOR WOOLLEN DRAPER, HATTER, HOSIER AND GENERAL OUTFITTER.

tf 1721 Hougkong, 18th October 1873.

BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT

45 and 47, Queen's Road, next to Oriental [Feb. 1 NOTICE. CITEAMERS leaving this port requiring COAL, can obtain it from the Under-

tf 1561 | 16th September, 1873. NOTICE. HONGKONG PIER AND GODOWN COM-PANY, LIMITED.

W. G. HALE & Co.,

THE insiness of the above Company will be O ISED from the 1st August proximo. until further notice. By order, MICHAEL MOSS,

tf 1231 Hongkong, 30th July, 1873.

WNERS of Property in Hongkong requiring Tenants, are invited to place the same on Registry of HOUSES, &c., TO LET. kept by the undersigned: Those seeking Houses, are invited to inspect

A moderate commission charged. BARRINGTON & ALGAR, House Agents, &c. 9, Hollywood Road, Hongkong.

the Register, thereby saving time and trouble.

tf 1624 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1873.

Notices to Consignees. S. S. MEIKONG. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE. MONSIGNEES of Cargo per S. S. Copernic, from London, in connection with the above steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk in the Company's Godown, whonce delivery may be obtained from MONDAY, the 27th instant, at 10 A.M. OPTIONAL CARGO will be forwarded to its destination, unless intimation is received from

the Consignees before 2 r.m. THIS AFTER-

Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS.

NOON, requesting it to be landed here.

Notice is also bereby given to all persons in- DAY, the 30th October, at noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the ndersigned. C: BERTRAND, $m{P}$ rincinal $m{A}$ gent $m{.}^{m{r}}$ 1762 Hongkong, 23rd October, 1873.

S. S. HONGKONG, FROM LONDON. PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. MONSIGNEES of Goods by the above Steamer are hereby notified, that the Ourgo is being discharged, landed and stored, Agent. at their risk, into the Godowns of Messrs. J. S. HOOK, SON & Co., whence delivery may be ob-Goods remaining in store after the 27th instant will be subject to reut. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless where he will have the following articles on applied for by the Consignees before \$ A.M.

> 1744 Hongkong, 21st October, 1873. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

SIEMSSEN & Co

Bills of Luding will be countersigned by

TO-MORROW, the 22nd instant.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. MONSIGNEES of the following cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery; this Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No fire insurance has been effected, U. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Ex " Tigre," 20th March, 1873. No mark 1 case. Ex " Heogly," 13th March, 1873. No mark 1 basket Iron Chain. Ex "Donnai," 3rd October, 1873. SZ 1/16 18 17 cases Eurniture. MY 11/121 2 cases Morchandisc.

Ex." Pei ho, 7th October, 1873. G&O, 1489/1491 ... 2 cases Morchandisc. MY 13/14)

Agent, HE Hongkong, 18th October, 1873.

Notices of Firms.

TAROM and after 1st January, 1874, the business of the undersigned will be incorporated, and carried on under the name and style and Yangters left that day. of "NEWMAN & Co."

WALTER NEWMAN. JOHN GITTENS. of 1704 Foodbow, 11th October, 1873.

NOTICE THE interest and responsibility of the late-Mr. Charles Wilson Murhay, in our Fign, ceased on the 16th August lest. BIRLEY & Co. ti 1615 Hougkong, 1st October, 1873. NOTICE. 🚉

THE business of the Undersigned will, from this date, be conducted under the name and style of EDWARD NORTON & Co. EDWARD NORTON. ROBERT LYALL.

tf 1571 Hongkong, 22nd September, 1873. THE interest and responsibility in our firm of Mr. John H. Smith censed on the 30th of April last. F. BLACKHEAD & Co.

tf 708 Hougkong, 1st May, 1873. A R. AD. S. CORDES has this day been ad mitted a partner in our firm. A. CORDES & Co. of 458 Tientsin, 1st January, 1873.

MARRIAGES.

Church, by the Rev. T. Hayley, FRED. W. HEINKE, of Twickenbam, and Brabant-court, E.C., to Ruby, daughter of C. I. Skeggs, of Shanghai, and Marlborough-hill, St. John's-

On the 4th Sept., at St. Jude's Church, Southsea, by the Rev. Sydney Macartney, consin of the bride, assisted by the Rev. Chas. Hort. Chaplian to the Forces and to H.R.H. the Duke of Cambridge. Francis Gilman, of Shanghai, ourth son of Ellis James Gilman, of The Boltone, S.W., to GERTBUDE LINA, third surviving daughter of T. Oxley, H. M. Bengal Medical Service (Retired List.)

Номскомс, Остовек 24тн, 1873.

WE mentioned recently that the Rev. Mr. Burnon, of Pekin, had accepted the Bishoprick of Hongkong, and might be expected shortly in the Colony, on his way home for ordination. The present is, therefore, a suitable opportunity for reverting to a consideration of the ecclesiastical matters of the Colony, as doubtless the Bishop designate will be desirous on his arrival to obtain all the information possible, and we trust will endeavour to rectify one or two matters to which attention has already been frequently directed, unfortunately without success, as for some time past there has been nobody whose position specially called upon him to act in regard to them.

The first point to which it would be very desirable that the Rev. gentleman's attention rould be directed, is the heavy amount o work which is thrown upon the Colonial Chaplain, and the absolute need of two active-Church of England clergymen in the place. There is a vast amount of work which has to be performed by a Colonial Chaplain, in addition to that which comes before the public in Church. There are prisoners and sick to visit, charitable and other useful objects to be furthered, burials, marriages, and other calls upon the Chaplain's time, not to mendoctone very important part of his duties; that of calling upon the members of his Church, and bringing his influence to some extent to bear personally upon them. . When it is considered how much time and thought, such multifarious duties demand, it will be obvious that they are a very severe tax upon mental or bodily fatigue that can be undergone with impunity at home.

It has always been a subject of regret that the Bisbops in Hongkong have confined themselves too much to their mere Episcopal functions, and have given but little of their energies to the duties so much more required here of active Ministers: It must, of course, rest with the new Bishop himself to decide place himself in harness; but it seems to us! that an active minded and earnest minister. can scarcely !fail to give the Colony, his services in this respect, where aid is so much

It is unfortunate that, as the Bishop is paid from a private fund, the Colony has not any absolute claim upon his services; and we whether it would not be well to supplement amount, on condition of his taking the joint position of Minister and Bishop, that is to say, taking a recognised and active part in the ordinary run of work which has to be e performed by the clergy in the Colony. I the Bishop should not be willing to do this, the question of appointing a resident curate is one which ought to be considered. It is true that a great deal of aid is given by Military, Maval, and other clergy from time to time in the place; but it is obvious that to afford any relief to the Colonial Chaplain, as would be the case werd he regularly reneved of a portion of the work.

Another matter which should command the attention of the new Bishop, is the question of what is to be done with regard to St. ter have adopted Monsieur Jourdain's plan, of public firm. Pant's College. He ought before going home speaking prose, when he came to the common to supply himself with full information re- place which he assured the audience was comgarding it, and he could then ascertain all mon sense. However, we doubt not all will that is necessary at home, and come out pres pared to see matters put upon a right footing for carrying out the objects with which the institution was founded. We believe it would he quite possible for him to obtain the necessury powers and information in England, and the fact of his being about to pass through Hongkong on his way, is a fortunate circumstance, as it will enable him to obtain the necessary particulars in advance. We make no doubt that this matter will be brought to the Rev. Mr. Burdon's attention and trust that he will deal with it energetically and effectively.

Mr. Creagh, were brought back. In the course Athengum of a few minutes, however, it was found that the ... It is stated," says the Entr acts, "that there jucket. fire had broken out afresh, and the Govern-lare in Paris 11.314 cafes, wine shops, or fire brigade. The fire was fortunately soon got | each one for hire produces on an average five candereens. under control, and shortly after 7 p.m. was ex- 10f. per day, or a total of over 101 millions of

We regret to state that telegraphic comnunication between Amoy and Shanghai is again interrupted.

the 22nd instant, and the Donnai. Chinkiang. The P. & O. steamer Zambesi, bringing the

The steamer Thales arrived at Shanghai on

next English Mail, was to leave Singapore at 11 a.m. to-day, the 24th instant. Yesterday, at 1 o'clock p.m., H.E. the Go-

vernor, H.E. Mr. Wade, and Sir Brooke Robertson, visited the Gaol, and went though the corridors, and from thence they proceeded to the Police Barracks. His Excellency seemed highy pleased with the order of the Guol, and also the neatness of the Police, who were dressed in their winter suits.

A correspondent in Melbourne informs us that the whole of the cargo of the steamer Crainforth, consisting of 24,379 packages, was sold by Messrs, John Everard & Co., at anotion, on the 19th and 20th August. It was the largest auction of Tea that has bitherto taken place in Australia. The day after the cargo of the Craigforth was finally disposed of, the Mina mut in her appearance.

The Straits Times says :- From private advices from Batavia, we learn that extensive preparations are being made for the second Acheen expedition. Operations will commence during the Mahomedan fasting, month, which begins on the 23rd instant. The following steamers have been chartered : - British steamer Branall, 1,500 tons; Italian steamer Maddaloni, 2,111 tons; Dutch steamer Java, 1,221 tons; Datch steamer Sumatra, 1,800 tons; French steamer Patty, now here; also, five of the largest if the N.I.S.N. Co.'s steamers will be taken up.

The crows for the Junior four-oars, at the forthcoming Regatta, were revised yesterday morning, as follows :-

2.-J. Bell Irving. 3.—E. Prior, 80tb. Stroke.—R. Bernbard Cox.—J. S. Knowles.

Stroke, Capt. Bradsbaw

Cox.—A. J. Lewis.

New Boat. Nereid. 1.—T. Nelson. .—O. Noodt. -Fred. C. Beyes. 2. -A. P. Handley. 3.-J. Keiser. 3.—Jnc. R. Hughes

Stroke, H. M.

Cox.—R. Heid.

THE AMATEUR PERFORMANCE. Last night the Hongkong Dramatic Amateurs gave their first performance to a crowded house. The piece chosen was Tom Taylor's well-known drama "Plot and Passion," and although it is: one of no small difficulty to present, the play went off well throughout, and evidently produced a great effect upon the audience. Fouché | 22nd instant. was taken by Mr. Hockey, whose marvellous even by professional actors as one of the most when disguised as the Abbe. He kept up the character of the Minister of Police throughout. without at the same time in any way damaging the effect of the one which Fouché was supparts of his rôle, he was equally good, and showed special talent in the part where he tells Madame de Fontanges that he gives her but five minutes to decide whether she will be exposed as the informant of the police, or undertake the errand of going to Prague to bring back De Neuville. Miss Edith Vernon, as Madame de Fontanges, bad a very difficult shirt. part to perform, but, noted thoughout with wonderful effect; and in the very try-

ing parts in the last act she performed admirably, and fairly brought down the house in the more affecting parts. Damarcts was given by one of the most talented actors, Mr. Keith, but was not so successful as his personations usually arc. There seemed to a little too much of low blackguardism, as opposed to clever villany, thrown into the character, and and having stopped him, told him it did not bethis had the effect of at times giving to it a certain comic appearance, not in accordance with the ordinary representation of the character, which is that of a scamp, but a any one man, be be never so energetic, espe- refined rather than a coarse one. The points, cially in a climate like this, where people however, were in many cases well made, and cannot undergo the same amount either of the soting good, though not so much so as might have been expected from an amateur who has done so well in other pieces. The five cases of preserved milk came on board,

McGlashan, but in the first act reemed to want a little more life. De Neuville (Mr. Gav) was extremely good. Next to Fouché, it is perhaps the other cases. Defendant was away at the the most difficult character in the piece, when side. Complainant went and searched for the there is only an imaginary lady acting as Madame de Fontanges. Love scenes under such circumstances are decidedly trying; but to a great extent how far he will, so to say, Mr. Gay contrived to perform easily, naturally, and at times with much pathos. He was also very successful in the first act in his game of ecarté with Fouché. The subordinate characters

Marquie de Cevennes was well given by Mr.

were all well rendered, the best being that of old Grisboule (Mr. Traeb), who managed his labour. monosyllabic answers very cleverly. Mise Siwel was a very charming little maid to Madame de Fontanges, and pretended not to notice De Neuville, when she surprises him on think it might be very desirable to consider his knees before her mistress, while exclaiming aside that, "this was very pretty," in the most his salary, which is not large, with a moderate pleasing and natural way in the world. Mr. Sydenham, as Prince of Neufobatel, bad not belonged to Mr. Boudin, and seeing a pawn-

The band of the 80th Regiment were present, and played some excellent music during the intervals. The overture to "Fra Diavolo," home drunk one night, and when told to go with which the performance was opened, was very warmly applauded; and the burlesque. valse was equally appreciated. Among those: present were H.E. the Governor and Lady Kennedy, H. E. Mr. Wade, Sir Brooke Robertson, &c., &c. The prologue was well this is not of a sufficiently reliable character | delivered by the Hon. Mr. Smith, but its effect stead of declamed. Though it was fairly Mr. Boudin came again, said he had had his kong. It appears that two more German ves. the sun. amusing, it was of a rather flat character, and dumbrella stolen, and he bought another. it certainly seemed that the poet, after besitating throughout a good three-quarters-of it-as to what kind of verse he should choose, had butheartily join in good wishes to the A.D.C., who with hard labor. showed themselves, by their excellent perform-

> ance, fully deserving of the popularity they en-The scenery, though not of a very imposing character, is deserving of notice as, being marked with very good taste; both the apartment in Paris, and the cottage room at Prague, being cleverly and attractively put on the stage. In the latter, the scene outside the window was very much admired, and gave a very fine effect of distance.

the New York Herald.

SUPREME COURT. October 23rd.

Dore, F. W. Koss, and C. H. Weber.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS. BEFORE THE HON. CHIEF-JUSTICE SMALE The Sessions were re-opened vesterday. The Hon, T. C. Hayllar, Acting Attorney-General The jury consisted of Messrs. B. W. Duncan

MANSLAUGHTER. mitted for trial for causing the death of Chutsze-moey, by hurling stones at him on the Sow- | Supreme Court. kewan road, was brought up. The facts of the case were testified to, and have already been given at length in the Police Reports. caused by some rough instrument or material, such as the smallest of the stones produced.

Alex, do Britto, E. Lilley, J. M. Guedes, Goo.

The evidence having been taken, his Lordthrough the whole of the facts. The jury returned a verdict of guilty by a upon, within the next three months. majority of six to one, at the same time recommending the prisoner to mercy, as it was their opinion that he did not mean to kill the man, though he intended to do an illegal act,

and to inflict harm. His Lordship, in sontending the prisoner, said that both the Attorney-General and the jury took a merciful view of his case; but he had in the depravity of human nature committed an illegal act. Had not the jury recommended severe; as it was, his Lordship would sentence The sessions were then adjourned to 10 a.m.

this day (Friday). MARINE MAGISTRATE'S COURT. 23rd October.

BEFORE H. G. THOMSETT, Esq., R.N.

Jus. Higgins; Robert Marshall, and William law and order the best-but the future govern-Shortridge, with being drunk and disorderly on the 22nd instant. They were fighting Orleanists know full well, and bence they seek amongst themselves, and when he went to them, one was bleeding fast from the head, This they have to arrange with the Legitimists, and the other from the wrist. Defendants had nothing to say for themsolves, except the very obvious fact that they were drunk.

The first and second were fined \$5 cach, or five days' imprisonment, and the third fourth-\$1 each, or one day's imprisonment."

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

BEFORE THE HON. C. MAY.

John Riley was charged by Charles Corne-

Complainant deposed be was a seaman, stoppowers proved fully equal to what is recognised | ping at the Sailors' Home, and two or three days ago a shipmate of his said he had lost a pair of tronsers; and vesterday a man came to difficult characters to personate. There is pro- him and asked whether be had lost a shirt. He the Ministry will attempt to make MacMahon subject for paragraphs in the Java papers; the that of the previous quarter. bably nothing more difficult than to not acting, went and looked, and saw the shirt (produced) President for five years. It is more than doubt. largest seizure reported of late is that of about and this Mr. Hockey performed admirably, gone. He asked the man why he asked him whether he had lost a shirt; and he said because be saw the defendant selling a red shirt at an marine-store shop, and having shown hun the to power. shop, he went and identified the shirt and gave the prisoner into custody. He could swear to posed to be personating. In the other telling the shirt, because he had pulled a button off the front of it, and but it in the pocket.

> having bought the shirt of the prisoner on George Bristol, sworn, deposed that he knew the shirt belonged to the complainant, because he had offered to buy it. Sentenced to one month's hard labor, and the

The master of the marine store deposed to

complainant to pay 2s. to the shopman for the Ton-a-ying was charged by Kwo-kum-üi,

vith stealing a bundle containing one cotton Complainant deposed that he was in an eatng house, and heard a cry of "thief," and going ut. saw the defendant running away with a undle in his band, and identified it as his. He

zave the defendant into custody. The master of the house deposed to sceing the defendant take the bundle out of the shop,

Defendant denied the charge. Sentenced to one month's imprisonment with hard labour.

William Scott, gunner, with stealing one tin of preserved milk from the steamer Anaca. Complainant deposed he was gunner on board he-said-ship, and the defendant was employedin stowing the cargo. On the 22nd and were lowered down the bold, and one of the t up, he saw the defendant with a tin of milk in his hand, which he had taken from one o broken box, and found that three tins were etween the cargo. He then took defendant to he chief officer, and from there to the station, Defendant said the case was broken, and he coked at the tin; one of the other coolies told

nim it was good to drink, so he took the tin. the marks on the box. Sent to one month's imprisonment with hard UNLAWFUL POSSESSION. ...

Ng-a-cam was charged with the unlawful by Francis Francis. Complainant said be had employed the demissed a silk jacket, on another occasion he missed two coats and a pooket book, and much to do, but performed what fell to him ticket, had suspicion of the defendant, and posegave him into custody. When in the charge-room, three or four pawn-tickets were found on him relating to the silk jacket and an umbrella and other articles. He cause to bed he was insolent. When asked what

laway from the colony. The umbrella pawned for I tuel 3 mace and 2 candareens. The muster of the pawnshop deposed that had umbrellas similar to that in court in his shop. About two weeks back he sold an Lec-on-kee, accountant in the same shop as

the last witness, said that the defendant pawned the umbrella on the 6th October, saying it belionged to him, and that he was employed in Defendant said the umbrella was given him by a friend's wife, who came from California : she is not here. Fined \$10, or three months' imprisonment ordered back.

by the pawnbroker without payment of the sum advanced or interest.

Defendant had four pawntickets on his person; evening.

by the pawnbroker. he knew that he took the jacket.

owner, upon payment of the sum advanced, The case in which Tong-a-fook, Wong-a-fook \$30 from a brothel, was again brought up, and opinion that such a public recognition of good Chec-a-yee, the stone outter, who was com- after some further evidence bad been taken, the service to the state has been well, merited

THROWING A BURNING FLUID. charged with throwing a burning flaid over one Wharry's evidence went to show that death was Li-a-bec, were brought up on remand. The that we cannot but treat it as a canard, until complainant was not, however, able to swear to is confirmed. What are we to do without syces the thrower of the fluid, as she shut her eyes. and gardeners? The third on dit is, that our The first defendant was discharged, and the new Governor, Sir Andrew Clarke, comes out

> HOME AND CHINA AFFAIR (From our Landon Correspondent.) LONDON, 12th September, 1873.

The only item of Home politics of any interest that I know of is the result of the clection for Renfrewshire. The seat became vacant in consequence of its occupant, Mr Bruce, the late Home Scoretary, having been him to mercy, the sentence would be much more | hoisted to the peerage. After a sharp contest, in England, has extended to Scotland.

> Mutters in France have taken a strange turn. Your readers are of course aware that the anti-Republican party consisted of three the Bunaparlists. The two first attempted a fusion, whereupon the latter declared war to ment must be one or the other. This the a fusion which involves a auitable constitution, ed by it, and 30 more pulled down to check the who, however, will not consent to anything there is the smallest chance of the Chamber agreeing to. The centre, left, and right, will support a constitutional Monarchy: failing which. conservative Republic. The Comte de Chambord will not agree to anything feasible, and his party, that is, the Ultramontages support him: Consequently should the required constitution be proposed, the Legitimists will abstain, when the Bonapartists and the Republicans will outvote them. The priests were so eluted by their apparent chance of success a week or twoago, that they showed their hand too soon, and a strong manifestation of public feeling has been expressed against them. Morcover, M. Thiers the 4th, 5th, and 8th ultimo. Further accounts chance of the fusion has dissolved like a morn. | during the earthquakes in August last, building mist. The indemnity is paid-the eval ings suffered much, but no accidents to life or chation is complete-and nothing but a dis- limb happened solution scens possible. It is rumoured that ful if they have the power-and it is doubtful 3,400 thele of that drug, on board a prahu in the even if they can command the necessary votes. Their object is to prevent M. Thiers returning |

Spanish Republic, and has been dad with full dictatorial powers. He has declared for punishment by death for military insubordination. forta levy, en masse, and for raising a forced oan. Serrano and other great Monarchical leaders have placed their awords at his service. and matters look bealthier. The Carlists have l surely no chance, when they and the Intransigentes are suppressed, the conservative Republicans and the Monarchists must appeal to said that be leaves behind seven sons.

THE CLAIMANT. The trial of the Tichborne Claimant continues anabated. The excitement among the lower orders in his favor has greatly increased; acelog which, the Daily Telegraph has gone over

admitted events, condemn him. THE P. AND O. AND THE CANAL. cline to accede to it. M. Lesseps dedges both that they should be decapitated. the Sultan and Khedive in the matter of tonnage measurement, and insists not only on charging the P. and O. the full tonnage dues A book was produced which corresponded to ment, but also ten france per-passenger in ad- count of an accident which happened to the

MANILA.

lars. Telegrams have been received from Hongkong that a portion of the British equad-H.M.S. Avon, last heard of as having left!

SINGAPORE.

The umbrella was ordered to be delivered up (Straits Times, 9th October.) The same defendant was again charged by Settlements, under most painful circumstances. Low-a-fai, with having a pawnticket on him of 1 On the morning of Monday, the 29th ultimo, as

one of these pawntickets was sent with last I. There are various rumours current at present witness, and the silk jacket in Court delivered | which we publish as possessing considerable in terest to the community. One is, that several Defendant said no doubt the jacket belonged of our leading residents are proposing to get to complainant, but be owed him a dollar, and up a public subscription to pay for the portrait September, with the French mail, arrived of Mr. W. H. Read, in order to have it placed Sent to six months' imprisonment with bard in the Town Hall, in appreciation of Mr. Read's labor. Jacketto he delivered by pawnbroker to i unwearied public spirit, and of his numerous not yet been published in Hongkong. disinterested and great services to these Settlements during his long residence. We think there can be no doubt of the success of such and Chung-a-poo were charged with exterting | movement, and that there will be only one defendants were committed for trial at the by the centleman whom it is proposed so to honour. The other rumour is, that the Dutch have prohibited any further immigration Chun-a-kwai and Luk-a-shui, who were of Boyans to the Straits. This is such a serious leten, and such a breach of international comity. ship summed up the case, carefully going second defendant ordered to find security in with full powers to deal firmly with all the \$50, to appear at the Police Court, if called | native states of the Malay Peninsula." We can only hope this is true. It is cortainly probable enough, from the fact that the Colonial. Office seems at last to have dropped the wretched non-intervention principles of the present Ministry, and to have resolved upon a vigorous nolicy in its relations with Native States, as witness the Expedition against the Ashantees.

JAVA.

(Straits Times.) On the 13th ultimo, a serious fire broke out in Campong Noordwijk (Batavia) by which upa Conservative was returned, plainly indicating | wards of 22 houses were destroyed, five of which were of brick. On the 18th ultime anothe disastrous fire occurred at Campong Kroekost (Batavia) which proved very destructive. The Batavia Handelsblad of the 24th liltimo gives the following in its summary for Europe, re- The British have been awarded 21 million garding these fires:-"The great heat and dollars. factions-the Legitimists, the Orleanists and drought prevalent hereduring the last few weeks, and also the inefficient condition of the five brigade, have been the causes that a fire which the knife. The majority of the nation are in broke out on the 13th instant at Campong. W. Symington, master of the above vessel, favor of either a constitutional Monarchy or a Noordwijk, and another which broke out on caute, doing great damage; many edifices have large portion of the Rajahs of the Malay Peninonservative Republic-whichever can maintain the 18th instant at Campong Krockoet, have been ruined. committed such great devastation. The last named fire was the more dreadful of the two. for no less than 160 houses have been destroy

An amok in the Cheribon district (Java) the 14th ultimo, resulted in the death of two persons and the wounding of three others (one mortalivi: the amoker was not captured, bu destroyed bimself by outting his own throat. On the 24th ultime, a vielent storm, accompanied with bail, blew down 160 bouses a

Last month cholera broke out violently at Palembang: the disease spread, and affected the garrison there, but by last accounts, dated | are balf starving. the 24th ultimo, it was on the wans. Measures have been taken to check its progress. More discovery that French and American vessel shocks of earthquake were felt at Padang-on have been selling powder to hostile tribes. has declared for a conservative Republic, from different quarters of the Government of Gambetta bas kept a masterly silence, and the Sumatra's West Coast are to the effect that

Seizures of contraband opium form a staple China Camp at Batavia.

Native disturbances in the district of Bencoolen are being suppressed by the military. The Assistant Resident and a controleur have improving. The Stock Exchange has re Castelar has been made President of the been assassinated there. Mr. Tobias has been appointed Assistant Resident, in place of the slowly reviving. late Mr. Van Amstel, who appears to have been killed in trying to rescue controlenr Castens from the assassins, who had waviaid him near Ketaum, on the banks of a river. News from Celebes is of a contradictory nature. One account to the effect that Bonto Bonto is assuming a threatening-attitude : ac-

> A fort, which is being constructed at Deli by the Dutch Government, is making rapid pro

gress towards completion. SHOCKING OUTRAGE ON JEWS. The Jewish Chronicle gives a statement of to his side. I send you the report of the 91st shocking brutality inflicted upon poor Jews at within the tropics are of this nature, and day of the trial from the Telegraph and the Fez. A medical man had ordered a poor indeed they are never met with beyond Standard, from a perusal of which you will see Jewish patient to use a vapour bath. But since 130 -degrees latitude either way. The zoothat the deductions drawn are diametrically the conveniences for such baths do not exist in | phyto itself, according to Darwin, cannot live different. The Times is too much against the the Jewish quarters of that city, and as the at a greater depth than from 20 to 30 fathoms; Claimant—the Standard has a little bias that Jews are actually forbidden to construct the no more can it build above water. Here, then, way. The Daily News is fair and just. What necessary apparatus for indulging in the we have two limits within which the construc-I say is this-let the evidence of one side go luxury of a vapour bath, the invalid applied to tion of a reef may be effected; the animal against that of the other, how can certain ad- the Mahommedan bath-keeper, who yielded to keeps adding carbonate of lime to its skeleton mitted facts be explained? For instance, the the entreaties of the poor man, and allowed him or shell either in branches or in solid blocks, Wagga Wagga will—the statement of the to enter with two other Jews, by whom he was according to its species; and thus, by the Leung-a-cheung; a coolie, was charged by claimant that he was a private in the 66th supported as be walked in. But they were at joint labour of millions upon millions of Regiment—the books of Mr. Foster showing once betrayed. A furious mob surrounded the these little beings, a coral circle is formthat Orton was serving at Boisdale at the pre- men, who were throttled by the soldiers, drag- cd, ending at the surface. It now remains cise time the Claimant admits he was serving ged along the streets, beaten with sticks, knock- to be explained, first, how it comes that as Castro-the Melipilla affair the allowance ed with hammers, out with knives, and pelted we find coral at infinitely greater depths instant to Charles Orton-the visit to Wapping-and with stones, so that their track was lined with than 30 fathoms; and next, how an so forth. But how any one can balance the blood. When the wounded creatures at length island is formed above water. Both these Claimant's evidence against that of the pro- presented themselves before the governor, one phenomena are explained by the sinking or secution, I fail to see. Even so, however, these of them had lost an eye, and the other had his upheaval of the hed of the sea; in the former head broken open. This representative of the lease the coral is dead, the animal being Sultan caused them at once to receive 500 drowned; in the latter it is still alive so long as The P. & O. are attempting to arrange mutil strokes with a rod, and to be thrown into a it remains under water : but when by the rising ters, so as to admit of their mail steamers going prison. They were 'held guilty of having of the bed it emerges, we find a circle of dead through the Canal. This not being provided desecrated an Arab bath, for which delinquency coral exposed to decomposition through the for in the postal contract, our Government de- it was expected that the Sultan would order action of the atmosphere, whereby a soil.

> A WARNING TO AQUARIUM KEEPERS | carried over by wind. The May number of the bulletin of the of their ships after his own way of measure. Societé d'Acclimatisation of Paris, gives an acdition. In short, M. Lesseps trims his suits to aquarium of the society, resulting in the loss of injure British interests, and Lord Granville many of the fish. Some mishap having occurthe French boats, and their identity of interest quantity of fresh water was poured into the growth of London has received a check. The the hastil due by the west coast headmen,

Manila for this port, but having been obliged characters of the North. The late Miss Helen we are here considering. Another part, we dare him and the cuptain of each trading vessel; to put into Suni from bad weather, has been Drummond Walker, who died lately at Edin- say, is to be found in the great advance in sometimes be is answerable to the Sultan for We deeply regret to have to record the death Sir Walter Scott. As the deceased lady was commercially independent. These withdrawals Shabandar. The income of the headmen of of Lieut. H. Burn. Master Attendant, Straits wont to relate, her father would frequently must have affected London to some ertent, the vassal states consists of the does they levy a coat, which had been stolen from him. Com. Mr. Burn was coming to office in his phaeton, ming "his nonsense," as she jocularly called direction. At any rate, the retardation of plainant deposed be was a servant in the em- bis horse started off and ran furiously down the his novels. Mr Walker, of course, well knew metropolitan extension dates from 1870. ploy of Mr. Francis, of the Oriental Hotel, steep bill in River Valley roud, extending from who the "Great Unknown" was, and Sir Wal- One other cause is the increase of English Mr. Francis asked him to come again into above Oxley-road to Tank-road. Mr. Burn ter felt grateful to bim for faithfully keeping emigration. For some years this increase has his service at the beginning of October, and he leaned forward to the conch box, endeavouring the secret. Miss Walker was the intimate been very noticeable, and especially has it been did so for one week. At that time the defend- to get hold of the reins from the syce, but the friend of Lady Nairne, and to her alone was di- noticeable in the returns relating to emigration ant was house coolie in the hotel. One day horse suddenly wheeled the corner of Tank- vulged the secret of the to the United States. Towards this result a silk jacket was stolen from the top of road, the carriage carcened over, and Mr. "Land o' the Leal" and other senge, respect, many influences were working. The extension India, who lately paid the Kraton a visit. He complainant's box, and he got no tidings of it. Burn was thrown with great force upon his ing which her ladyship-withheld the knowledge of education not only awakened in the minds Mr. Grenville-Murray, of the extinct Queen's The defendant denied all knowledge. This back, the carriago falling on top of him. One even from her own husband. It was from of the very poor a desire for the improvement foul rain. "A small number of Sepoys dressed Messenger is acting as French correspondent to morning he heard the defendant was in custody, or two natives came to his assistance, and first Miss. Walker that Dr. Rogers obtained of their lot, it also directed their attention to and armed after the European fashion, did and that some pawatickets had been found righted the carriage, but while Mr. Barn lay Lady Nairne's MSS, and the chief por the countries where it would be easiest for them The Master of Balliol is revising the proofs on him. He went with the police to a pawn- insensible on the ground, his injuries were tion of the materials for his memoir of Lady to effect that improvement. Doubtless, too, the wind sets in that quarter, he says further, of a second edition of his translation of Plato's broker's, with a pawaticket said to have been further aggravated by the wheels passing Nairne. Miss Walker was of an extremely rethe example of the Irish was not without An alarm of fire was given yesterday at 6 p.m. Dialogues. We regret to bear that Professor found on defendant's person, and the pawn- over him, one going partly over his face tiring disposition, and would not allow her weight, and possibly also their more direct eug-It was supposed to have broken out at Messie. Jewett is ter from well, and that his physicians broken produced a silk jacket (now in said the other his right thigh, which was name to appear, but she is often referred to in gestion. In a sermon which attracted some R. S. Walker's goldowns, at Wanchi. Shortly have forbidden him to attempt any more seri. Court), and he identified it as his jacket, afterwards found to be fractured. He was the memoir as attention at the time, a prescher at Rome some after the alarm was given, it was reported that ous work at present. He has gone to Italy for stolen from him during the time ago selected for his thesis the propaganthe fire had been got under, and a detach ment of the benefit of his health, and will, probably re- in the employ of Mr. Francis. He did medical aid at once called in. He appear was very deaf, in spite of which disability, how- dist virtues of the Irish poor. The propagan- services of criminals of a deeper dye from any folice who had been sent under the command of main abroad for the next twelve months.— not owo defoudant any money, neither did the ed to be doing well for several days, and ever, she continued to have a keen enjoyment dism, we may conjecture without improbability, defendant tell him anything about stealing the believing his injuries not of a serious na- of society. She was a patron of art and music, has not been confined to religion. For the last escaped incket.

| justice. | ture, we refrained from reporting the accident an advocate and consistent supporter of the quarter of a century those among them who justice. Long-a-kee, accountant of the Tai-loong at the time. During the past few days, how- temperance movement, and of the Anti-tebacco were unable to scrape together at home as ment engines, the Royal Insurance, and the beer saloons, containing in all 27,711 public pawnshop, Queen's road West, deposed that on ever, Mr. Burn has grown worse, and the beer saloons, containing in all 27,711 public pawnshop, Queen's road West, deposed that on ever, Mr. Burn has grown worse, and the beer saloons, containing in all 27,711 public pawnshop, Queen's road West, deposed that on ever, Mr. Burn has grown worse, and the beer saloons, containing in all 27,711 public pawnshop, Queen's road West, deposed that on ever, Mr. Burn has grown worse, and the beer saloons, containing in all 27,711 public pawnshop, Queen's road West, deposed that on ever, Mr. Burn has grown worse, and the died Society. hand engine belonging to Wanchi, were soon billiard tables, and in the clubs and private the 26th September the defendant pledged the presented being, proposals to erect monuments to Chalmers have been in the habit of coming over to this upon the spot, accompanied by several of the houses 3,127 others. It is estimated that jacket produced at his shop, for nine mace and in the opinion of his physicians, effusion of his physicians, ef

RRIVAL OF THE FRENCH MAIL The Messageries Maritimes steamer Meikong, Capt. Foache, from Marseilles 14th yesterday. The following telegrams have

(From the Caylon Observer.) NEW YORK, 26th September. Provident Grant has approved the constitution f nurchasing bonds. tender reserve, considering it had extended to Banks the utmost help.

euspending currency payments. The exportation of grain and cotton is everywhere arrested. £285,000 in gold were shipped from Liverpoo

to America yesterday. LONDON, 26th September. The Government is shipping rails at Wool wich for the Railway on the Gold Coast. Mr. Henry James has accepted the Solicitor-

The first god of the Persian Railway has been completed. London, September 27th.

It is understood that Cossipore Arsenal will se abolisbed. The Carthagena insurgent frigates have re turned to Alicante, and again threaten the bombardment of the latter port. There has been further fighting between the Carlists and Government troops: the latter were out-numbered, and compelled to retreat. NEW YORK, September 28th.

The Mixed Commission at Washington has state presented by Great Achien. Professor erminated its labours. All the American Claims 'are disallowed.

The Bonapartists and Radicals are coulescing

LONDON, September 28th.

against the Monarchists. The insurgent frigutes have bombarded Al The frigates have since withdrawn.

LONDON, September 29th. The conlition of Bounpartists and Re publicans is protested against by the respective strove emulously to get hold of the rich proorgana of the two parties. A vigorous campaign against the Carlists the north of Spain has been commenced.

The English squadron remained neutral during the bombardment of Alicante, and the frigates returned to Carthagena damaged. LONDON, September 30th Advices from the Gold Coast, dated the 6th instant, state that the Asbantees are quict.

It is believed that they are awaiting the termination of the rainy season, and meanwhile The Coast-has been blockaded owing to the The failure of the bombardment of Alicani

The Spaniards are irritated at the conduct LONDON, 1st October. The Revenue of the past quarter amounts £17,375,000, being an increase of £1,500,000

John Bright received the scale of office

has caused much rejoicing in Madrid.

The Commission on the Suez Canal Question meets at Constantinople on Monday. Financial Affairs in America are steadil opened. Grain and Cotton show traces [signs

CORAL FORMATIONS.

The Revue Scientifique, publishes some teresting observations concerning coral forms tions. The coral polypus or caryophyllea it save, of the same order as the sea-anemone, cording to another account he is dead. It is but having the power of suparating carbonate of lime from sea water, and making itself sort of coral skeleton with it. There are only certain kinds that make solid reefs, which may be divided into three classes, viz., the utoll or circular, the lineal, and the Tringed. The first named is the type of the real coral island most of those with which the Pacific is dotte

authority over the majority of the population, who listen to them only; nothing remains for the Sultan but to obey their will, or, if he be gradually formed sufficient for the nourishment of tropical vegetation, the seeds of which are

THE-GROWTH-OF-LONDON.

(Pall Mall Gazelte.)

with the Canal proprietary, enable the French salt-water tanks; there was not a supply number of miles of new streets and source ad-Government to play all sorts of tricks with of sen-water at hand, and a large number of ded annually to London, Colonel Henderson British interests, but they will go to the wall as the fish were killed; those that did not actually tells us, averaged between 1862 and 1870 sixty- | Ibrahim, one of the Sultan's brothers, but, in usual. This fully accounts for the leniency of die were generally sickened by the fresh water, eight and three-quarters; in 1870 the number reality, he received no more than what the the Post Office authorities, with respect to and took several days to get acoustomed to it. fell to a little over forty-two: in 1871 it was the P. and O. shortcomings, as also for the They recovered, however, and remained several less than thirty-nine; and in 1872 it but slightly arrangement of the P. & O. with Holt's line of weeks in the water till a supply of proper sea- exceeded twenty. The yearly addition is there. Some time previously, Tampat Tuan was, on Ocean steamers. The French are simply peach- water could be procured, and the damage fore considerably less now than one third of ing on the carrying trade for a political pur- rectified. The salt-water was turned into the what it was in the period beginning in 1862 and tanks, but instead of restoring them to health, ending three years ago. What is the reason the population, mustering barely sixty men able killed them outright. They had suffered by of this? Is it that the extension of the metrothe sudden change from salt water to fresh polis is rapidly approaching the limit beyond water, and were getting somewhat accustomed which it cannot gounder existing conditions? Of to Jetire, with broken heads, without effecting From Manila we learn that the Spanish to it, when an equally sudden return to their course there must be such a limit, but there Government is carrying things with a high proper element proved faint. It would be in appears to be no evidence that it has yet been hassil of 5 per cent. on pepper exported from hand in the Scoloo Archipelago. We have teresting to know what kinds of fish were in reached. The explanation seems to be that Kwaha Gigian to Pedir, assigned to Rajah sort of an umbrolla he had pledged, he said it already noticed the seizure of the two Ger- the aquarium at the time; and which stood the wealth is increasing more rapidly in the great was a small lady's umbrella. Mr. Boudin is man vessels, the Garelle and Maria Louise, shock best. It is well known that some kinds provincial towns than in the metropolis, and both of which, it is said, have been con- will live equally well in fresh and salt water, that consequently employment and business assigned to him a like percentuge on but expert. demued by an improvised Spanish Court while others are killed by a change from the openings are more easily obtainable there than of Admiralty, without any defence heard or one to the other. Not only the fish, but the here. Manchester, Liverpool, Glasgow, Birexplanations allowed, and in spite of the re- marine plants, also suffered from the accession mingham, and other towns of lesser magnitude are no brothers, the hassil naturally flows into monstrances of the German and British Con. of fresh water. They became detached from draw to themselves an increasingly larger proporties Edition's treasury. For levying the import sals. The cargo of the Maria Louise belonged the rooks, and fell off in great numbers, as tion of the migratory population of surrounding was considerably marred by its being read in- man named Roudin, for \$4.50. The next day to Mesers. Augustine Heard & Co., of Hong. though they had been exposed to the rays of districts, and leave for London, therefore, fewer appoints a Shabandar, who occupies a proof those who wish to push their fortunes, as well minent place among the Achinese headmen, as of those who have no fortunes to push. The and, with whom, foreign traders come most but we are unable to give any reliable parties. DEATH OF A CONTEMPORARY OF SIR relatively greater importance of the great into contact. The latter, from the manner centres of industry is observable in many cir- in which they are treated, become impressed A correspondent writes :- There has passed comstances, as, for instance, in the growing in- with the idea that no fixed rules exist as ron in China has been ordered to Manila, to away from the society of the Scottish metro- fluence of the provincial as compared with the to import duties, for the Shabandar gets polis a ludy whose name was pleasantly linked metropolitan press, and we cannot doubt that what he can from them; the amount to be paid with at least two of the most illustrious literary it is part of the explanation of the phenomenon is usually the subject of an agreement between burgh in her 88th year, and who had been till manufactures lately made by several conti- the whole amount, sometimes he puts part into near the last engaged in works of active bene- nental nations. Many houses that formerly his lown pocket. The Sultan, to cke out in volence, was a daughter of the late Mr. Walker, kept branches in London do so no longer. The some measure his scanty income, ofton carries of Dalry, who was clerk of session along with countries to which they belong are becoming on trade on his own account by means of the take Sir Walter's duties at the clerk's ta- however small. Possibly also the Francoble in court, while the latter was pen. German war had some influence in the same and of what they can collect or bring together

whom they worked.

ACHEEN. The Batavia Handelsblad anys :- The exhaustive work of Professor Veth on Acheen, lately issued in Holland, quoted in the Locomotief affords some curious particulars respecting the decadence or decline of the kingdom or districts of Acheen, and the predatory nature and lawlessness of its wrongly termed dependent states; of which latter he enumerates and describes some 23, of varied and adventitious populations; around the coasts of what is still termed, by many, the kingdom of Acheen,-the paramount The Treasury has refused to employ legal influence of which is now apparently confined to or circumscribed by the immediate neighbourhood of the Kraton and the town of Acheen Banks in the West and South are partially itself, regarding which fact he observes :- "The present power of Acheen must not be measured by what old voyagers, even Valentyn included, relate concerning it. Valentyn estimated the armed force which the Sultan could, in case of need, put into the field at from 40,000 to 50,000 men and mantions, besides, from 100 to 200 vessels armed with cannon and swivels; and, also, a thousand trained elephants. Of these elephants there are now none remaining. The last tame elephant which was in the possession of the Sultan, was, shortly before the turned at Resht, one mile of earthworks being visit of Mr. Ritter to Acheen, conveyed by Panglima Pulim, one of the headmen of the XXII. Sagios (village districts) to his residence in the interior, because the animal had been wholly have disuppeared as well. At the time of Ritter's visit, there was only one, the barque Anna (Bagianan), taken by the Sultan from Rajah of Trumon, which, armed with fourteen guns, crused along the coast endeavouring to collect tribute from the vissals"-villages, or town along the coast, Regarding the present contrast with forme

Veth observes as follows:—"The splendour of the Achinese court has been sketched in bril liant colours in many old relations of travel. These relations belong to a period when mighty Sultane ruled over Acheen, who numbered amongst their yassals, the headmen of almost all settlements along the west coast to Salida, and along the East coast to Siak, and also a sule, and who succeeded in maintaining a sovereign power over them with vigour and strictness:--to a period when trade and the pepper culture flourished, and the nations of Europe ducts of Acheen. Then was the time when the n doors of the Kraton were covered with silver plates; when the Sultane kept numerous wives and concubines; when their palace was guarded within by a guard, consisting of 3,000 women. and 500 cupuchs, whilst at night, 200 horsemen patrolled outside; when 300 goldsmiths wereconstantly at work in the Kraton; when

the Sultan possessed 2,000 pieces of cannon and hundreds of tame clephants. Of all this splendour not a vestige now re-In a Kraton, filthy, half fallen in, and even partially destitute of ataps. there dwells now a Sultan who has almost wholly lost authority over his vassals, who can with difficulty support out his scanty income the few opinin smokers, who make up his following; and who, in all respects, is one of the poorest and most miserable rulers in the Indian Archinelago."

This must necessarily arise from the divisional manner into which the whole country is parcelled out among a set of bold and greedy retainers, whose leading maxim appears to be every one for bimself and old Scratch for us all." in more than one point of view. Professor Veth enters minutely into the subject, and gives a vivid and complete iden of the present state of affairs in all the districts in question. According to him, the tract directly under the Sultan's role, which must be carefully distinguished from the dependent states, is divided into three districts, called the XXII, XXV., and XXVI. Jagies or Mukims, according to the number of united villages the contained; each of these districts is governed by two hereditary headmen, styled Panglinas, who cannot be deposed, as such, by the Sulian. These six Panglimas form the Council of State. in which the real power resides. The Prime Minister is, at present, an Arab, Habib Abdur Rahman, who seems to have the whole power in his own hands. The Panglimas inform the Sultan of what they had agreed upon with the village beadmen, which he has simply to assent to. The Sultan must, on the other hand, consuit and obtain the approval of the Council of State for all his actions. He cannot name his successor without their approval; should be die without naming one, or should be deposed, the choice of the new Sultan devalves upon the Panglimas. The dethronement of the Sultan, which is effected by the Panglimas, takes place when he has broken the customs of the country, or when he has shown his unfitness for ruling. Hence, he is nothing but the playball (puppet) of these headmen, who are not backward in reproacheves when he gives occasion for it. They feel not the least fear of his wrath, which can have no effect on them, because they alone possess

rush enough, fruitlessly to oppose them by means of a handful of slaves or desperate characters who have entered his service. The revenue of the country is granted by the Panglimas to the Sultan, who must, as a set-off, pay each of them five catties of gold yearly. which he is often unable to do. The Sultan's income consists of a 5 per cent, import duty levied on all foreign vessels at Acheen. No export duties are paid; no other tax exists. Ritter estimates the amount of the duties at from 15,000 to 18,000 dollars, which must bediminished by the Pauglimas' allowances. Besides this, there is the tribute from the vassals. so far as it can be collected; it is the custom that this should be set apart for the support From statistics contained in the report of the of the principal members of the royal family. will not submit to it. The heavy subsidy of red in connection with the machinery, a large thomassioner of Police, it appears that the At the time of Mr. Ritter's visit to Acheen

> and consisting of half a dollar on every exported picul of pepper, was assigned to Rajah coast headmen chose to give, which was usually, very little; he lacked the power to exact more. account of refusal to pay tribute, attacked by sea and land by thousands of Achinese. But to bear arms, defended themselves so bravely during fourteen days, that their assailants had their purpose. It did not go much better with the Abbas, another of the Sultan's brothers. The third brother, Rajah Mahmood, who had had of pepper from Pedir to the frontier of Siak, was not so much advantaged by it. When there duties and for regulating trade, the Sultan on articles imported and sold by their subjects.

> besides by extortion and violence. . The foregoing facts regarding the present state of Acheen, and the 23 or so lawless compongs or villages along the coast of Samatra. of hetergeneous and adventitious populations, termed its dependencies, are to a certain extent borne out by a correspondent of the Friend of describes it, as well as its surroundings, as a duty as a body guard. And as a sign as to how. "they certainly harbour ranaway convicts, for I saw several men with the tattoo marks of the Burman and Straits jails on their forcheads," Under these circumstances, it is not at all unreasonable to conclude, that the presence and quarter will not be rejected, whether deserters. escaped convicts, or military fugitives from

The Journal of the Society of Arts says that a blood on the brain, with the general shock to and was associated with the late Dean Ramsay would pay their passage. The sight of this Vienna Exhibition by Herr Sohreider, professor P.C. No. 94 said on the 22nd instant the the system from the severe concussion sustain- in public and charitable undertakings. She | occurring at repeatedly cannot have been with- of stenography at Vienna. It consists of the tinguished. The damage done was inconsider. france a year for the 27,711 in the establish. defendant was brought to the baronet of Haw- out an influence on the English labourers with whole Thad of Homer, written in so small a space as to be enclosed in a nutshell.

THE FRENCH TREATY WITH BURMAH. In pursuance of a motion made in the House of Commons on the 29th July, an official trans-French and the Barmese Governmente January last has been issued from the Foreign-office. It is preceded by the "statement of motives," as it is termed in French diplomatic procedure, which led to the conclusion of the Treaty, which are thus set down :-The Government signed, with Burmah, on

the 24th of January last, a Commercial Convention, which we have the honour to submit for the approval of the Assembly. A Burmese On LONDON .-Ambasador, provided with special powers, having come over to express to us in the name of his Sovereign a desire to establish between the two countries relations of friendship and commerce, his overtures were favourably received by us. Although Burmab, inclosed on three sides by the British possessious which separate it from the sea, is not so situated as to take a very active part, in the general movement of international exchanges, we were bound not to neglect this opportunity On Shanghal. of facilitating access for French merchandise to a new market in the extreme East; moreover, we could not do otherwise than give proofs of good feeling towards a Government whose proceedings bore witness at the same time to its sympathy for France, and to those tendencies towards civilisation which cannot be too much encouraged in the Asiatic Powers. It would, besides, have been premature to have, inserted in the Convention those numerous clauses on matters of detail of which our Treatics with countries where we have interests of some importance to protect

. We confined ourselves then, after havingstipulated for the treatment of the most favoured nation for our countrymen, our commerce. and our Diplomatic and Consular agents, to procuring the acceptance of a few articles of more special import, the object of which is to guarantee, for the products exchanged between the two countries, a maximum tariff of five per cent.; both on entering and on leaving Burmese territory; to-confer on French-Consula cognisance of differences between French and Burmese subjects, and lastly, to secure for French missionaries the same favoors and immunities as are enjoyed in Burmah by the missionaries of every other nation. We have besides expressly reserved to ourselves the right of completing these several provisions by further arrangements. You will not hesitate, gentlemen, I hope, to sanction stipulations which constitute a new extension of our conventional rights in the extreme East, and to authorise, by voting the project of law which we present to you, the exchange of the ratifica- Where we are showing a well selected Stock of tions of this international instrument.

follows :---The President of the French Republic and his Majesty the King of the Burmese, desiring to establish between France and Burman relations of amity and commerce, which they reserve to themselves to consolidate and extend by the conclusion of further arrangements, have to this end named as their Plenipotentiaries, that is to say :- The President of the French Republie, M. Charles de Rémusat, Minister for Foreign Affairs. &c., &c., his Majesty the: King of the Burmese, Mengyee Maha Saythoo Kenyoon Mengyee, his Ambassador; Who having exchanged their full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon the following Articles, :--

The text of the Treaty is annexed, and is as

I.-Frenchmen in Burinab and Burmese aub jects in France shall be allowed freely to reside, travel, trade, buy lands, sell them, cultivate them, and build on them, in conformity with the law of the country. They shall enjoy full and entire protection for their families and property, as well as all the advantages or privileges which are now or may be eventually accorded to the subjects of the most favoured nation. French missionsries shall enjoy in Burmab the same favours and immunities as the missionaries of any other nation. Frenchmen travelling in Burmah in the interests of science, geographers, naturalists, and others, shall receive from the Burman authorities every assistance of which they may stand in need for the success of their investigations. Burmese subjects shall enjoy reciprocally the same faci-

lities in France. II.—Merchandise which Frenchmen may import into, or export out of. Burmab, and reciprocally merchandise which Burmese subjects may import into, or export out of France, shall neither pay different nor higher duties than if they had been imported or exported by the inhabitants of the country, or by foreigners belonging to the most favoured nation. Burmese products in France-and-French-products in Burmah shall enjoy the same treatment as similar foreign products of the most favoured mation. The Burmese Government, auxious to encourage the development of commercial exchanges between France and Burmah, engages. not to impose upon the articles exchanged any Customs duty at a rate exceeding 5 per cent. of their value. After the payment of the import duty, the merchandise, into whose hands soever it may pass, shall not be subjected in Burmah to any further tax or import of any sort.

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717HE Company's Steamship " MENZALEH." Captain Mourrut, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA TO-DAY, the 24th instant, at 1 r.m. C. BERTRAND. Principal Agen

FOR AMOY. TIRE Spanish Steamer "FORMOSA." Morales, Master, will leave for the above port TO-DAY, the 24th inst., at 3 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to

1737 Hongkong, 23rd October, 1873.

2d 1756 Horigkong, 23rd October, 1873. STEAM TO SINGAPORE, GALLE, AND BOMBAY. TITHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship " COLUMBIAN '

will leave for the above places TO-MORROW the 25th inst., at noon. 'A. McIVER. ?. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, 20th October, 1873. [6d 1731 NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. -PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

I ME Company's Steamship " MEIKONG.". Captain Foache, will be despatched for SHANGHAL TO-MORROW, the 25th instant, at 1 P.M. C. BERTRAND.

Principal Agent 1738 Hongkong, 23rd October, 1873. STEAM TO SHANGHAL. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

will leave for the above place about 24 hours after the arrival of the next English Mail. - A. McIVER, Superintendent P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 18th October, 1873.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA. HIE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship " AVOCA! will leave for the above place shortly after the arrival of the next English Mail.

Superintendent. Hongkong, 18th October, 1873. FOR LONDON. "CAWDOR CASTLE,"

Captain Cowie, expected on the 20th just., wi For Freight, apply to JOHN BURD & Co., 1661 Hongkong, 15th October, 1873.

FOR ILUILO.

THE A I British Schooner "JOHN McKEAN" will be despatched—for the above port TO MCRROW, the 25th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. 41 1753 Hongkong, 22nd October, 1873. FOR BANGKOK.

/ HE British Barque Thomas Le Bas, Master, will bave quick des patrh as above. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.

7d 1743 Hongkoug, 21st October, 1873. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. / HE A 1 American Barque "MARY BELLE ROBERTS.

Trask, Muster, will have immediate desputch at above. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. tf 1733 Hongkong, 20th October, 1873. FOR DUNEDIN AND SYDNEY.

FINHE A 1 Clipper Ship "RIFLEMAN." . Thos. Bishop, Master, having the greater por tion of her cargo and passengers engaged, will have immediate despatch for the above ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co.

ti 1582 Hongkong, 25th September, 1873.

FOR MANILA. MIHE Spanish Schooner "MANOLITO." Captain Camus, will have immediate despatch for the above port, For Freight or Passage, apply to BEMEDIOS & Co. tf 1631 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1873.

"LADY BLESSINGTON." Williams, Master, will have early despatch as For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. ft 1657 Hongkong, 7th October, 1873. FOR NEW YORK.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

"DOUNE CASTLE." 887 tone Register, McDairmid, Master, wil load at Whampon and Houghong, and will hav early despatch. For Freight, apply to

(To follow the American Ship " Ringleader.")

WHE A 1 16 years British Clipper Ship

RUSSELL & Co. tf 1058 Hongkong, 7th October, 1873. FOR LONDON. GEO. STREET, 30, Cornhill. FIHE British Ship "STAR OF CHINA."

quick desputch for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., - Mongleong; DEACON & Co.,

if 1435 Hongkong, 2nd September, 1873.

Vessels on the Berth. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

HANKOW, NINGPO, and PORTS in JAPAN. FIGHE Company's Steamship

" ULYSSES will be despatched on or about the 25th instant For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

64 1780 Hongkong, 20th October, 1873. FOR NEW YORK. THE A 1 German Barque

"JOHANN SMIDT."

Captain Hagemann, will load here and Whampon for the above port; and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. tf 1675 Hongkong, 10th October, 1873.

FOR BAN FRANCISCO. TITHE A 1 American Ship " MELROSE." Captain Neill, baving the greater portion her Cargo engaged, will have immediate des-

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. tf 1668 Hongkong 8th October, 1873 FOR NEW YORK. THE A 1 American Clipper Ship "RINGLEADER."

patch as above.

Thatcher, Master, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will load at Whampoa and Hongkong, and have early despatch as instant, will not be forwarded unless the Late For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. tf 1583 Hongkong, 25th September, 1873.

FOR NEW YORK. THE A'I British Barque "FALCON." Dunn, Master, having the greater portion her Cargo engaged, will load at this and

Whampoa, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co., tf 1523 Hongkong, 13th September, 1873

FOR LONDON. THE A1 German Barque "LANDWURSTEN." Capt. Becker, will load bere and at Whampon

for the above port, and will have quick des-For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. tf 1632 Hongkong, 2nd October, 1873.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS..

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND Marseilles:

PONDICHERY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND BOMBAY. N SATURDAY, the 25th October, 1873, the Company's Steamship " DONNAI," Commandant DE BUTLER, with MAILS PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places. For further particulars, apply at the Com-

C. BERTRAND.

Principal Agent. Hongkong, 4th October, 1873. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI-

pany's Office.

TERRANEAN PORTS, AND SOUTHAMPTON: BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM L NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "GWALIOR," Captain N. W. HABELWOOD with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places on THURSDAY, the 30th October, at noon,

proceeding to Southampton via Suez Canal. Cargo will be received on board until noon, Specie and Parcels at the office until 2 P.M. up the 29th idem. For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS-AND-VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED . A Written Declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government,

and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading or with Parcels; and the Company do not bold themselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from the incorrectness in such declaration. The Company reserve the option of forwarding all goods shipped by their Steamers for Europe through Egypt, either by rail, or by

Canal in their own Steamers; or in vessels employed for the purpose.
Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. A. MOIVER, Superintendent. Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Un.'s Office. Hongkong, 17th October, 1878. THROUGH U.S. MAIL LINE

CHINA AND JAPAN TO NEW YORK. PACIFIC MAIL S. S. COMPANY -IN CONNECTION WITH THE JENTRAL AND UNION PACIFIC

RAILROAD COMPANIES. TIME S. S. "ALASKA" will leave Hong kong for Sun Francisco, via Yokchama on WEDNESDAY; the 12th November, at 3 o'clock P.M., taking Passengers, Mails and Freight, for Japan, the United States, and

Europe. Through Passenger Tickets and Bills o Lading are issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco; to principal points in the United States, Canada, and Europe, via Overland Railroad and connecting Lines of Steamers, and to porta-in Mexico and Central and South America. A Steamer of the Company will leave Shang-

hai about same date, via the Inland Sea Ports, and make close connection at Yokohama.

At New York, Passengers have selection of

various lines of Steamers to England, France

and Germany.

Return Passage Tickets issued at a reduction Packets of Samples of Morchandize, in addition to the Rates specified in the Table of Rates of of 20% on regular rates. P.M. on the 11th proxime. Parcel Packages Postage at present in force. will be received at the office until 5 P.M. same day: all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. For further information as to Passage or Freight, apply at the Agency of the Company,

Hongkone. October 23rd, 1873. UNDERTAKERS, &c., OFFICE-No. 9, HOLLYWOOD ROAD.

T.A. HARRIS,

Memorial Stones and Monuments erected. tf 137 Hongkong, 21st January, 1873. VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANT OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.

THE Proprietor of Wing-KEE Shop begy to China it cannot but be invaluable occasionally. San Francisco, Mr. L. P. Fisher. 21, Mor. will load bere and at Whampos, and will have FIHIS Company, with its Head Office at Hongkong, and Agencies at the various Trenty Ports in China and Japan, is prepared to issue Policies of Insurance, at the current and Trade Patterns or Samples. rates of Premium at the respective places. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

ti 557 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871.

Post-Office Notifications.

A mail will close. The Mails for Swatow, Amoy, Foochow Taking Cargo and Passongers at through rules for 10.30 A.M. to-day, the 24th instant, instead of at the time previously notified.

For Singapore.—Per Allona, to-day, the 24th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Manila.—Per schooner Manolite, to-day,

the 24th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Yokohama,-Per French Mail Steamer Monsolch, to-day, 24th inst., at 0.30 P.M. For Amoy.—Per. Formosa, to-day, the 24th For Shanghai. Per Acantha, to-day, the 24th For Singapore, Galle, and Bombay.-Per Columbian, to-morrow, the 25th inst., at 11.30

For Shanghai. Per French Mail Steame Meikong, to-morrow, the 25th inst., at noon. The departure of the homeward French Mail Packet Donnai is postponed until further no-

The English Contract Packet" GWALIOR will be disputched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on THURSDAY, the 30th inst.,

he 29th instant. Letters, &c., may be posted during the night in the box left, open for their reception. Letters for registration will be received until Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on

Fee of 18 cents each as well as the postage is The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Bucks, or Patterns 10 A.M. on the 30th instant. Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to

the United Kingdom via Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 11.30 A.M. to the time of sailing, on payment of a Late Fee of 48 cents each in addition to the postage. F: W. MITCHELL,

ieneral Post-Office,

Hongkong, 17th October, 1873. It is hereby notified for general information that the Postage on Letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will henceforward be 36 cents for each balf ounce. which may either be paid in advance, or it may

Posimarier General. General Post Office,

It is hereby notified for general information that on and after the 1st August next, the Commission chargeable on Money Orders issued upon the United Kingdom at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Tokohama will be as follows,

Above £5 and not exceeding £7...54 Above £7 and not exceeding £10..72 . F. W. MITCHELL. Postmoster General.

Prices Current, Newspapers and Books cannot

The rate of postage chargeable on Letters addressed to France per French Packet is...... 12 cents. Per British Packet when marked via Per British Packet when marked via Alexandria and Marseilles · F. W. MITCHELL.

Postmaster General. General Fost-Office, Hongkong, 2nd April, 1872. It is hereby notified for general information that, the Postage (which must be paid in advanced) upon letters addressed to Prince Ed-

When forwarded via Brindisi 42 cents each balf-onnec. When forwarded via ... Marseilles...... 36 cents each half-ounce. When forwarded via Southampton 28 cents each half-ounce

General Post-Office. Hongkong, 28th July, 1870.

General Post-Office. Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

It is hereby notified for general information. that benceforward the Postage on Letters addressed to Russia, when marked to be forward. ed via Southampton, will be reduced to 40 cents '. W. MITCHELL

Arrangements having been made under which Mails for London arriving at Sucz from China by Private Ships will be forwarded to destination via, Brindisi, it is hereby notified that the rates of postage, which must be paid in advance, on correspondence addressed to the United Kingdom so forwarded, will be as fol-For Letters......24 cents per balf onnce.

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmoster General.

It is hereby notified that; arrangements have The "ALASKA" will be due at Sun Fran- been completed under which correspondence

Pohtmaster General.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the rates of postage which must be paid in advance. chargeable on Packets of printed papers or patterns of light weight sent from Hongkong to the United Kingdom by the United States. D R O W N . J O N E S & O O . Packets via San Francisco, will be as follows

> For a packet above I onuce not ext ceeding 2 ounces...... 4 For a packet above 2 ounces not exceeding 4 ounces....... 8 ,, and eight cents for every additional four ounces.
> These rates apply to Printed Circulars, Price

> Lists, Market Reports, and all printed papers other than Newspapers, as well as to Books F. W. MITCHELL.

inst., at 2.30 P.M. netant, at 3,30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH PACKET.

Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 29th instant.

The Post-Office will be open until 6 P.M. on

30th instant, without late fee. Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 30th

Postmuster General.

be left to be collected on delivery of the Letters.
Unpaid Letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery.

F. W. MITCHELL.

Hougkong, 23rd August, 1870.

On sums not exceeding £2.......18 cents: Above £2 and not exceeding £5...36 -,

General Post Office. Hongkong, 15th July, 1870 It is hereby notified that Letters addressed to France may be sent either paid or unpaid at the option of the sender; but the postage on

For each 4 ouncs

ward Island, will henceforward be as follows,

It is bereby notified that benceforward the postage on letters addressed to Newfoundland, which must be paid in advance, will be as fol-When forwarded vial 34 cents each 4-unnee When forwarded vià)

When forwarded via Southampton... Postmaster - General.

Marseilles.....

per half-ounce.

 $oldsymbol{Postmaster-Genero}$ General Post Office Hongkong, 18th September, 1872:

For Newspapers....... 8 " I not exceeding lounce 4 cents.

every additional 4 ... 12 General Post Office, Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

cisco December 17th, whence daily Passenger from Hongkong may be forwarded to Nagasaki trains and daily Freight trains are run over via Shanghai, and to Hiogo via Yokohama, by the Central and Union Pacific Railroad Lines United States' Mail Packets, and that Letters for New York, and for all the principal cities for Hongkong and places beyond Hongkong in the interior and upon the Atlantic Sea: may be forwarded from Nagasaki and Hiogo by nieans of the United States's Packets via Shanghai and Yokohama respectively. The rates of postage chargeable on such correspondence is four cents for each bulf ounce! on Letters, two cents on each Newspaper, and two cents on each two ounces of Books and -F. W. MITCHELL.

> General Post Office. Hongkong, 16th January, 1871.

For a packet not exceeding I ounce in weight...... 2 cents

Postmanter tienera

Secretaries, General Post Office, Hongkong, 12th April, 1870.

PRODUCE UNLUCKY COMPLIMENTS. Insurances. HONGKONG MARKETS. Insurances. Insurances. Corrow Shaughs Extracts. The worst blunder in what was intended As Reported by Chinese on the 23rd October, 1878. Ningpo for a-pretty speech that I over heard of, how--IMPERIAL-FIRE INSURANCE - NOTICE OUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. 16,00 a 16,60 -Shantung LITTLE GUINEVER. ever, was perpetrated in modern times by a MROM and after this date the following rates 12,00 a 18.60 Bengal, Corron Yann, No. 16 a 24. por picul \$107.00 a \$118.00 When Queen Gwinever of Britain was a little wouch." will be charged for SHORT PERIOD. TAROM and after this date, and until further. THE Undersigned having been appointed lignitary of the Church, who was asked to -flore's LABOUR LOST. L Agents of the above Company at this Port, | Insurances, viz |---Jansamune, Japan white,...... 88 a 42... notice, a Discount of Twenty per cent. marry a young couple in a country place - 127.00 a. 185.00 Swift agross the palace floor where he happened to be staying, and was (20%) upon current local rates of Premia, will are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to Not exceeding Ten days 1 of the annual rates | GREY SHIRTINGS, 7 o 71 lbs ... per piece \$2.00 a 2.05 Flashed her tiny wilful feet; 2.45 a 2.50 Brow, Dongal, Cargo No. 1 also called upon to propose the health of the with this Office. 9 a 84 lbs ... ,, Not exceeding 1 month 4" 2,20 a 3,25 "Playfellow, I will no more, 2.90 a 8.25 Above I month, and not } 1.70 a 1.75 Now, I must my task complete." bride and bridegroom at the subsequent White Shiptings, 68 a 60 reed... exceeding three months. EDWARD NORTON & Co., GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. mill cleaned,..... 1.65 a 1.60 64 ø 66 j, .i 2.60 a 2.75 Arthur kissed, her childish hands, breakfast. "To sum up all our good wishes 3,36 a 2.40 AboveSmonths, and not) tf. Hongkong, 24th Angust, 1864. 68 a 72 2.20 a 8.40 2.00 a 2.10 Sighed to think her task severe, for the happy pair whom we have seen united exceeding six months.... tf 1174. 25th June, 1872. WHITE SPOTTED DO. per piece 2.50, a 2.50 THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPAN Walked forth in the garden land. this morning," he said in conclusion, "we Above six months the full annual rate. PHONIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY 1.48 a 1.50 Saigongammanaara Ambrican Drulls, 30 yards Lonely, till she reappear. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., 2.40 a 8.8 cannot, I am sure, do better than express CAPITAL,-Two MILLION-STEELING. 2.10 a 2.15 Arracan Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company Jany T-Chorne, 24 yds & 32 in. 7 lbs., She had sought her latticed room, 2.35 & 2.40 lesire that the result of their union may Bangoon, TITHE Undersigned having been appointed of 678 Hongkong, 26th August 1869; 6.50 a. 7-00 Overlooking fairy seas, LETERTRE property by the contract of the second section of the second section is a second section of the section of t 34 , & 36 , 84hi , prove strictly analogous to that of the parents INHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents to the above Company at this Called Launcelot from a howery gloom, Отко броттио Впівтінов,...... 🔭 I Agent for the above Company at this of the fair bride." Whereupon the "fair Fort, are prepared to grant Policies against NOTICE. English steam To feast of milk and honey of bees. DIED BROOKDE Do. port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, Pire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or American Anthracite, bride" went into hysterics; the bridegroom's DYED DAMARK Do. per piece 5.70 av 5.80 " Had we bid Prince Arthur too, THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. 10.50 a 12.20 o the extend of £10,000, on Buildings or on 8ydne**y**;..... la Goods stored therein. oves flashed daggers: the bridesmaids co-INDOW_GLASS per box. 4.25 a 4.40 He had shaken his grave head. Goods stored therein. EANDERSCHIMPS, Blue..... per dos. 0.68 a 0.76 DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. loured and looked down; the master of the Saying, 'My holidays are few!' STRAITS PRODUCE, &c., Brown........ THE following rates will be charged in future 0.65 a 0.7 EDWARD NORTON & Co. ti 717 Hongkong, 9th November, 1868. RATTANS, Straits,..... per pel. 5,60 a 6.00 May queens not have their will!" she house blow his nose violently. He who had tf 241 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:-Banjar VELVETS, Black, 22 ins. per yard 0.23 a 0.24 caused all this commotion wisely sat down LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM Not exceeding 10 days, t of the annual rate. Thus she passed the merry day, PEPPER White,..... NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTIL ,, Gentien, 22 ,, ,, 0.22 a 0.23TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE. Thus her woman spake and smiled and held his peace, wondering at the effect Black Not exceeding 1 month. VELVETERNS, Black, 0.25 a 0.26 INSURANCE COMPANY. 137. LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON of his innocent compliment to the host and "All we see we need not say, Above 1 month and not) WOOLLEN GOODS. INROM and after this date the following rates ESTABLISHED 1843. For Guin over is but a child," exceeding 3 months... hostess. He soon however, found some one Spanish Stripes, per yard 0.82 a 0.83 17.00 a 17.60 South Sets I will be charged on SHORT PERIOR WiffE Undersigned is authorised to accept LONG ELLS. M.M. Suarlet, per piece 8.40 a 8.60 Above 3 months and not] to enlighten him. "She is not their daughter SAPAN WOOD, Manila, THE VIRTUE OF AN IF. risks on behalf of this Office, by First exceeding 6 months... at all," his informant explained, " but a nicce Not exceeding 1 month; of the annual rate "If I had to begin life again I would do HH Scarlet,..... Olass Steamers and Sailing Ships. EDWARD NORTON & Co., very differently.". So think most men in the who came to live with them when her own Above I' mouth. I , Alegoritediaman, and app American, per barrel of 200 bs...... A. MoIVER, Agent. Agents the Queen Insurance Company. AMLETS, SSS....... tather and mother were divorced!"-From YESAT, Tientern per poland not exceed- > 3 "Hongkong lat July, 1867 hour of regretful de spondency-those who tf 242 Houghong, 22nd January, 1870. DIT ... ac en consequence Cassell's Magazine for August. succeed as well as tho so who fail, and per-20.00 a 20.61 UGAR, Canton white, 1 a 8 LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPAN above 3 months 8.50 a 8.60 22.00 a 22.5 raps the successful are tille more discontented INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF FREMIUM. SEA OTTERS. and not exceed. > 6 ASTINGS, DD. 3.20 a 8.30 West Coast, Dk. Brown, with their conduct. The man who wins the TNTIL further notice the following Annual Manila, Dry White, 4.20 a 4.50 METALS. The Aleut islanders show a wonderf IROM this date, until further notice, a tis-Rates will be charged for Fire insurance | 1808, Nati Rod Nos. 1 & O....... | Per picul 4:10 a Above 6 months the full annual rate race finds the prize somowhat disappointing. exterity in the capture of this animal. . In count of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the 15.50 a 16.00 Campnon, packed........ N.B.—Short period Policies can be renewed He imagines that if he had do no this, or left -Ноорыми полити April or May they assemble at an appointed 1.80 a 1.86 PHAR, White,..... current local rate of premia will be allowed for a term to complete 12 months, the premium | Detached & semi-detached Dwellthat undone, success would have been more 1.85 4 2.40 spot in their light skin-boats, or baidars, and Small Round Rod, Green, upon insurances effected with this Company. charged for such prolonged term being the ing Houses removed from town, > 1 per cent. 1.45 a 1.80 complete and more faithful of happiness. 9.50 a 9.75 Wire, choose one of the most respected lamols, or DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., and their contents. balance of the Annual Premium. 1.68 a 1.70 Granting that the paths you dia not try STREL, English, per tub. 4.60 a 4.65 Musuroove, chiefs, for the leader of the expedition, which) ther dwelling Houses, asod strict- 🕽 43.50 a 50.00 tf 1193 Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. 2.25 a 2.50 would have led you to the untried earthly enerally number from fifty to a hundred On and after this date, a discount of 20 per ly as such, and their contents: 475 a 5.00 | Shawbed, Green, 2.75 a 2.90 paradise for which you sigh, you would miss Ciw, Malarea,..... per picul 38.80 a 85.00 cent. off the above rates will be allowed to In- Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and ?, _IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE. boats. Such hunting parties are annually 8.75 a 13.50 TIN PLATES per box 7.80 a 8.00 | Mussels, Dry Siam large, them even if you had to begin life over as ain. their contents. organised from the Kurile Islands_to Kad-6.75 a 8.20 COMPANY. SHEATHING METAL......per picul 24.50 a 26.50 GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co... GIDMAN & Co., Agents, Unbought experience is worthless. It is the QUICESILVEB, English, 147.00 a 148.00 VERRICELL, Tientsin...... 5.86 a 6.60 jack, and consequently extend over a line of PROM this date antil further notice. North British & Mercantile Insurance Commany. Agents Imperial Fire Insurance Company 15.70 a 18.00 same with the nation as with the man-3,000 miles. On the first fine day the ex-72.00 a 73.00 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865. tf 1187 Hongkong, 24th June, 1872. Return of Twenty per cent. (20%) will be 7,60 a 7.85 i Hankow History may be written for our instruction, pedition sets out, and proceeds to a distance made, on the Premium charged on all Insurbut we only read it for our ansusement or to about forty wersts from the coast, when the SHIPPING IN THE CANTON WATERS effected with this Office: such Retur garnish a controversial speech. Therefore, baie, are form into a long line, leaving an inbeing payable on the issue of the Policy. history repeats itself. So with the individual terval of about two hundred and fifty fathoms Vessels. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., Destination. Captains. By training much may be done to improve Vesacls. Destination. Captians. Consignees. from bout to boat as far as a son offer diving Consignees. Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. the chances of a virtuous and happy career, out of the water cau-be seen; so that a row 1f 1159 Hongkong, 24th June, 1872. but every man has to walk alone and to pay of thirty baidars occupies a space of from OUEAN MARINE INSURANCE HONGKONG. for his experience with suffering. - Gentleten to twelve wersts. When the number of COMPANY, LONDON. Stewart H.I.C.M. Sui-Tsing the boats is greater, the intervals are reman's Magazine. H.I.C.M. Clark Sun-Chee INCORPORATED 1859. A SHOCK DURING THE MARRIAGE duced. Every man now looks upon the sea H.I.C.M. STEAMERS. Le Buch Ta-an-lan with concentrated attention. Nothing es-H.I.O.M. -CAPITAL, 21,000,000. Lien-Po "As if it was quite impossible that any- capes the penetrating eye of the Alcut; in-FIHE Undersigned having been appointed Acantha Shanghai (Olyphant & Co-Wm. Pustun & Co thing concerning me could be done as other the smallest black spot appearing but one Agents for the above Company, are pre- Altona K. Hore pared to accept Marine Risks and issue Policies | Avocapeople do it, all on a sudden, while Giles held moment over the surface of the waters, his 1008 | P. & O. S. N. Co Yokohama Agustina Barvier Andrews | 2200 | P. & O. N. S. Co Brit. str Laucivica Peru. sh E. G. Stead America my hand, a thought seemed to flash straight experienced glance at once recognises a sea, at current rates. 250 | Aug. Heard & Co. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Adelheid Ger. bk 235Dang Wee Lord out of his heart into mine, that he had for otter. The laider which first sees, the 1201 Butterfield & Swire 533 of 1951 Hongkong, 7th June, 1867 Cecilia. Port. bk Pearco Jackso**n** Diomed gotten the ring. I was quite sure of it. He animal, rows rapidly towards the place where Tug Plying 226 Port. bg Richardson Brit. str 116 | B. K. & W. Dk. Co Concordia MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMdid not even put his finger into his waistcoat | the creature dived, and now the Aleut, hold-Angel Fulle Tuton-Morales 495° Remedies & Co Fray Bentos Peru. ch pocket, as a man might have done who had ing his oar straight up in the air, remains. PANY OF MANCHESTER AND Callao 890 Brit. str 1727P. & O. S. N. Co Bareno Peru. sb' Gwalior | Haselwood LONDON. bought one and left it behind. There was motionless on the spot. Immediately the Callao D. Lapraik & Co. "Peru. ab Vanturini 1150 _Astorquia Punchard Brit: str · 277 Luisa Canevaro Hailoong 1076 no ring; he had forgotten it. A pause whole squadron is in motion, and the long Viduarrazaga Peru. sb Symington Siemssen & Co FIHE Undersigned have been appointed Callao Fanny?' said Mr. Mompesson; and Mrs. straight line changes into a wide circle, the Peru. sb 1018 Menaobo 1050 A. Henrd & Co., Agents Manco Capac -Olaguibel Agenta for the above Company at Hong-Relg. str 1746 Havana von Fleyden Tuton Brit. str | 1061 | A. Heard & Co., Agents Nelusko Mompesson, with all the good will in the centre of which is occupied by the baidar kong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Han-Callao : Peru. Bli 680 Tuton Nuevo Providencia Vidaurrazage world, and with Mr. Crayshaw to help her, with the raised our. The otter not being kow, and are propared to grant Insurances at 2500 P. M. S. Co Callan Astorania Erguiaga Peru. sb Jacobsen Brit. etc tried to get her ring off her dear fat friendly able to remain long under water, reappears, | Current Rates. 1800 | Messageries Maritimes Peru. sh 690Tuton Basagoitia Foache Meikong Peru. hand, and tried in vain. Giles almost groan- and the nearest Alcut immediately greets him HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Messageries Maritimes Santa Sancha Port. bk 311 Mello & Co Mourrut Nunes Menzalch ed. He had expected me to be more with an arrow. This first attack is soldon tf 1958 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868. A. Heard & Co., Agents 140 1993 ${f Wilson}$ S. Donne P. M. S. Co. Mikado-Snark T than commonly nervous. Now seemed some mortal; very often the missile does not even Peru, sh | 1314 | Garcia y Garcia G. Westoby Brit. str -862 | D. Lapraik-& Co THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE Namoa ground for it; but real and sheer nervous- reach its over-distant mark, and the sea ot-W. H. Pockley Brit, str 1660* Running between Canton and Macao. — COMPANY, LIMITED. ness often goes off when there is anything tor instantly disappears. Again the oar A. Heard & Co., Agents Benning ${f Powant}$ SWATOW. to be nervous about, and I now felt very rises from the next baidar; again the circle Carroll. 821 A. Heard & Co., Agents HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. Poyang ; In port on 20th October, 1873, Brit. str 180Acheong Prince Albert much at my case, and whispered to Giles forms, but this time narrower than at first; GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of Hunckendorff Dan, sch | 251 Direks Kruger & Uncertain China and Japan, and at Singapore, Sir J. Jeejsobboy _101__ - Acheong -that a ring would be found-somewhere. So the fatigued ofter is obliged to come oftener-Beit: str | 380 | A. Heard & Co., Agents Uncertain Brit. bk 567 Chinese White Cloud § Morrison : Charlie Palmer it was. The clerk had darted out of the to the surface, arrows fly from all sides, and Bitt. str j. 625 D. Lapraik & Co.v Uncertain Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance Ashton church at the first sight of Mrs.- Mompes- finally the animal, killed by a mortal shot or Brit. str | 332 | Acheong 150 Bradley & Co Laid up Gaviota ... son's hand, and in a few minutes he return- exhausted by repeated wounds, falls to the Uncertain James Wilson $326 \cdot$ Master Heath above mentioned Ports. 356 Direks & Kruger ed, following a lovely, fresh-complexioned share of the archer who has hit it nearest to Uncertaiu Ger. bk I Running between Hongkong and Canton. No charge for Policy fees. Puradics: Uncertaiu young woman in a linen sun-bonnet, and the head. If several otters appear at the Siam. sh 816 | Frewin & Co JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Running between Macao and Hongkong. Resolution Schmidt 618 Frewin & Co Uncertain Siam, sh Suendsen with a fat, crowing baby on her arm. She same time, the boats form as many-rings, Shooting Star Hongkong, 1st November, 1871. was out of breath; and, coming up to Giles provided their number be sufficiently great; SAILING VESSELS. quickly, she thrust out her honest hand, and All these movements are executed with as-BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE In port 4th October, 1873. allowed him to draw her ring off, and marry tonishing celerity and precision, and amidst COMPANY. 207. 1 Petersen & Co Ravnkilde Hayward me with it. A healthy-looking young fellow, the deepest silence, which is only interrupted New York 599 Brit, bk Elles & Co 334Davidson Simpson Amr. bl in a paper cap, which he presently removed, from time to time by the hissing sound of the itHE Unitersigned are now prepared to grant, Ned. Boyd & Co 239Brit. bk 356 Ounshand Moleson Flaina Order on behalf of the above Company, Policies came slouching in after her, and looked on, flying arrows. - From "The Sea and its Pasedag & Co 822Rost Amr. st Forget-me-not against Fire on First-class Buildings, to an exunable, as it seemed, to repress an occasional Living Wonders," by Dr. G. Hartwig Bourjau & Co Uirich Siam. Carl Ritter H. C. Lenson Ger. bk **596** | Hapseng Ger. Petersen & Co Williams Brit. bk 888 Petersen' Carnaryonshire Hermann grin of amusement: when the ceremony was A discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the current local rates will be allowed on all Pasedag & Co Creelman Amr. el 1169Olyphant & Co. Iversen over, they followed us into the vestry, and Insurances. Brit. bk Deighton Brown & Co 939 Kim-yeang-soon. Anton premium charged for insurance; such discount Corona we all sat talking a little while, till some 395 Brown & Co 192 Siam. H. Bate Brit. sh Petersen Jardine, Matheson & Co. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE being deducted at the time of the issue of po- Daylight 229 Brit. bg Boyd & Co rings were brought from a shop for me, and Miss Kilmansegg Finlayson Siam, bk Rademacher. INSURANCE COMPANY. Giles chose one and paid for it. Then I felt Schopper Pascdag & Co 265Ger. bk Melchers & Co Petersen Seaman's Bride Siam. bk 314 Brown & Co 635 Andreagon that I was Mrs. Brandon. He returned the Siam. sb. Stalza_ THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Com--182 | Tasedag-A-Co-Kallsen[.] R. Deas 487 $\mathbf{Finzel}^{\mathbf{c}}$ ring he had used to the young woman, but I ly 15 Hongkong, Ist January, 1873. 463 | Pasedag & Co Flying Cloud Brit. bk Orfenr S. Milner observed that she made her husband put it pany, are prepared to grant Marine risks at CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, Brit, bk T. Pearson 458 Bonrjan & Co. on for her again; and, as he did so, he re- carrent rates. FOOCHOW. 295 Brit. bk Chinese. (LIMITED). AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. marked to Giles, with a certain quaint com-In part on 17th October, 1873, 246 D. Sassoon, Sone & Co Fren. by -tf 471 Hongkong, 6th March, 1868. placency, that wives wanted humouring, and Sbanghai Hunaus 387 | Master T. le Bas Amr. sch 347 Carlowitz & Co Gilman & Co John McKean for his part—he might be wrong—but he PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. Thomas Brit. bg 194 Birley & Co Carmarthensbire F. Taylor London Gibb, Livingston & Co. DOLIUIES granted at current rates on Ma- Joyce Phillips 984 considered it was their due. Then in all-Brit. bl 514 P. M. S. Co Clyma Kirby Caroline New York good faith, assuring him-that he would never TIROM this date, until further notice, a disrine Risks to all parts of the World In Lady Blessington 483Gilman & Co Brit. bk 1048 | P. & O. S. N. Co. Davies Denbighshire Amr. bk New-York 724 Jardine, Matheson & Oc count of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the accordance with the Company's Articles of As- Ly-ce-moon Donkin Brit. bl Rasmussen $425 \cdot$ repent what he had that day done, he set his Inverness Colonies current local rates of premia will be allowed Adamson, Boll & Co sociation, Two-thirds of the Profits are distri-Span.ach 228° Crombie. P. Jamus Remedies & Co Janet . paper cap on his head, and retired with his 453 | Jardine, Matheson & Co upon insurances offcoted with this Company. Colledge Brit. bk buted annually to Contributors, whether Share- | Maria Rickmers Ger. bk 567 Kirkland Westendroff Siemsson & Co family; while we, having taken leave of our Freemantle 161 DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., holders or not, in proportion to the net amount | Marquis of Argyle - McKeon-Siemssen & Co Laughing Wave Shaw Brit_el Rozario & Co friends, stepped out into the fields, and de-Brit. bg 262 Gilman & Coof Promis contributed by each, the remaining Mary Anna -Daaborous Rose of Australia Ger. bk Order Taku parted together, to begin our story."—"From 262 | Muster tf 1192 Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. third being carried to Reserve Fund. Mary B. Roberts Stroud D. J. Trask Amr. bk Order 962 Adamson, Bell & Co London Brit. sh off the Skelligs," by Jean Ingelow. 389 Siemssen & Co McKay Saudrich Ger. bk Thyntira OLYPHANT & Co., BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE 1308 P. & O. S. N. O. Amr, st General Agents. McNear Coster THEOPHILUS JENKS PREPARES COMPANY. SHANGHAL tf 951 Hongkong, 17th April, 1873. 999P. & O. S. N. Co Thos. Neill Amr. sb Melrose IHE Undersigned having been appointed FOR THE STEAMER. Span. bg Brit. bk In port on 10th October, 1873. D. J. Uriarte 258° Remedies & Co Nuevo Constante. Agents in Hongkong for the above-named NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE Then Jonks resolutely undertook to bring The names of the numerous stramers, tuas. 579 Ocean Beauty G. Pearce. P. M. S. S. Co Company, are prepared to grant Policies gainst small craft, and receiving hulks employed bis mind to it. "How long will it take?" INSURANCE COMPANY. 888 Brit. sl Cromarty: sea flisks at ourrent rates. on the Fang-tsze are not included in this REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. 258 R. S. Walker & Co Brit. bl he inquired. "Ob, three hours or so," I re-Prince Alfred RUSSELL & Co. Detached & semi-detached Dwell- | per cent. C. W. Doane plied carelessly. "Do we go out of sight of Аш. 1213 Russell & Co Puritan of 1022 Hongkong, 1st April, 1865. Amr. sh | 1053 | Wm. Pustan & Co ing Houses, removed from town; } Annie M. Small Bishop Brit. 718 Packer Rifleman Order land?" "No, you sail down the river a few TRANSATLANTIO FIRE INSURANCE Jurdine, Matheson & Col 494Brit. bk and their contents. Span. bk 563Agnew S. Gutierres Antipodes miles, then you strike the ocean, and just Newchwane Nils Moller COMPANY OF HAMBURG. Other dwelling Housesused strict- 1 Brit. bk 362Sharperton Dana Clara hug the shore until you get there," I replied. 395 Bourjan & Co ly as such, and their contents. Gilman & Co Brit. bk 773.Brit. eh Lardman Sumatra Lathem Corinne. HE undersigned having been appointed "Yes; strike the ocean—hug the shore—' (lodowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and le - 1 ha Adamson, Bell & Co Brit. Siam, sh Chinese McDinrwid A. H. Moller 575 Swordfish Donne Castle Agents for the above Company, are pre-pared to accept risks against Fire, subject to a he mumbled to himself, looking down and Frazar & Co Winding Amr. 425Russell & Co their contents. Taffarette Fren. bk El Dorado Вонгаева rubbing the bald spot on the top of his head. O. M. S. N. Co **3**81 713 Dan, bk T. G. Jones D. Sassoon, Sous & Co Saxtorpt Tamesa . Esbern Snare On and after this date, a discount of 20 per Fung-Hing bonus of 20 per cent. "Strike the ecean—hug the shore. Three 367 Chinese Friendship Klindt | Three Brothers H. Kableke. SIEMSSEN & Co., cont. off the above rates will be allowed to In-Gibb. Livingston & Co. 248 Siemseun & Co Watt " J. Westervold Ned. sch Halloween hours—oh! do you know whether they have Adamson, Bell & Co Phillipps G. Farran 428 Naval Storekeeper life-preservers on that steamboat?" "Stacks Harlaw 🗅 tí 39 Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. Shaw Brothers & Co GLLMAN & Co., Parsons Hopewell of them," I replied. "I've seen them often." Agents, North British and Mercantile 4.15 T. C. Wong & Co. Byuggren Kim-kin-kee "Wouldn't it be a good plan to slip one on 799Jardine, Matheson & Co Brit. Insurance Company. H. M. S. SHIPS IN THE CHINA SQUADRON. Kinfauns Castle Dodd London to the horse's neck when they start? He'll Gilman & Co 4F 1168 - Hongkong, 24th June, 1872. Brit. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY David Laurel think it's a collar, and won't be scared, you 848 Adamson, Bell & Co Brit. bk Knight Leander know; and if there should happen to be any Brit_sh 806 Adamson, Bell & Co THE Undereigned are prepared to grant Cantain. Lencadia Menros Where At. Name.245 Ednard Schellhass & Col Policies against Fire in the above Com-Ger. sch Schierlole trouble it would help to keep his nose up." Louisă. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. Chinese "Capital plan," I responded. "What time pany at current rates, subject to a discount of Siam. bk Buchholdt Lucky -337-Wm. Pustnu & Co Ger. bk TAROM and after this date the following rates Avon Cadmus Мятів Fox: do we start?" "At eight o'clock to-morrow 20 per cent. doub, ac. gun va. Russell & Co 862 ROB, S. WAI KER & Co., Cutter Amr. sh Mary Whitridge morning." Jenks retired with the look and Capt. Wm. H. Wuyt Steam Corvette Yokohama Frazar & Co Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Kandrick Amr. sb Midnight bearing of a man who had been sentenced to doub, sc. gan vi. Comdr. E. J. Church 160 surances, viz:-New York Gilman & Co tf 1617 Hongkong, 1st October, 1873. Brit. sk llbery : Mikado Not exceeding Ten days & of the annual rate | Dwarf Comdr. B. W. Bax doub. sc. gun vi. Yokobama be hanged. He went first to the stable, and Amoy Fung. Hing Musoat Merchant -Mack intosh Brit. bk Not exceeding 1 month 1 of the annual rate | Elk OR Insuring Houses and other Buildings' IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. 4 | 120 Comdr., J. B. Barnett Tientsin doub, se, gun vl. made all the necessary arrangements there, Adamson, Bell & Co Burclay Northampton Above 1 month, Hongkoug **fiospitul** Flamer . and late into the night I heard him moving Gilman & Co. 1193 Burgoyne Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufactur duoble so. gun vi.)béra**n** Capt. C. E. Buckle Yokohama and not exceed. 3 ... Eduard Schellhass & Ou 377 Prode of Thames Brit, bk. about his room. I presume he did not once Burdies ug and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Har-Capt. W. Arthur doub. sc. fron sh. 14 800Yokobama: Iron Duke 475 Chinese Siam, bk' close his eyes in sleep that night. I was ex-Moller: Prosperity bours, or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Ships; Comdr. Boulton double sc. gun vi. 4 Hongkong Kestrai 884 Frazar & Co Amr. bk Samuel D. Carlton Tapley lso, Ships Building and Repairing; Barges ceedingly amused by his nervousness, though Military Hospital Hongkung and not exceed. > 6 ... Meanee O. T. Wong & Co. Ger. Dinoklage Schiller I would not have intimated to him that I had and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and, Melvilla Hongkoug Frazar & Co 974Amr. ab Sea Surpent Janals, and Goods on board such Vessels, Comdr. Grant Above 6 months the full annual rate. doub. sc. gun vi. Singapore any doubt of his courage, for the world. He Adamson, Bell & Co Brit. Gillies St. Andrews Castle iroughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in Lieut. Comdr. Bond was astir at an early hour in the morning: gun-boat GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co... Mosquito Jardine, Matheson & Co 1499 Brit. eli Short-Stornawny POREIGN COUNTRIES, PROM LOSS OR DAMAGE Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Lieut. Comr. Fairlie Houghong and breakfast was on the table while vet the Opossum 645 | Jardine, Matheson' & Co Luckes Vanguard tf 675 Hongkong, 13th August, 1869. Act. Comdr. Patterson Hongkong Receiving ship Princess Charlotte early birds were singing. "You will have a The Undersigned, Agents for the above Com-Comr. Pursons Gulf of Pechili acrew sloop Rinaldo УОКОНАМА. lovely day. Jenks," I said, as he banded me any, are prepared to grant Policies against CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE Comr. Pitman doub, so, gun vl Hankow Ringdove In port on 16th Soplember, 1873. COMPANY, LIMITED. my coffee. As he bent to set the cup beside "IRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any one First Hop. A. O. Littleton 2 250 Yokohama pad. des. vessel Salamis 197 | Walsh, Hall & Co my plate, there came close to my ear a curious 4 120 Com. Hon. Fitzmaurice Foochow lass Risk. Teazer Van Oordt & Co 461 Brit. bl Rickaby Chausina crepitant rustle. "What have you got about 6 400 Capt. H.B. Woollcombe Singapore GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Steam Corvette Thalia -P. M. Co · **71**6 Amr. bk Loring Ettu Loring Hongkong, 1st January, 1867. 350 | Capt. Le Hunte Ward Shanghai you, Jenks? I inquired. He' made a sickly Steam Corvette 397 Neffrerlands Trading Co 370 Captain Brit. bk IN conformity with the Special Resolutions. Kirby Gaucho doub. sc. gun vs. 4 120 Comr. H. K. Leet Yokohama YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIAattempt to smile, and then pulling open the Peru. bla Hercura adopted and confirmed at the Extraor-Maria Lüz bosom of his shirt, displayed a collapsed, dry TION OF SHANGHAL. 401 | Captain. dinary Meetings of Shareholders held on the Jewett-Morro Castle 180 Netherlands Trading Col bladder, with a goose-quill in the nock ready et and 15th instants, altering Clauses Nos. 130, SHIPPING IN THE CHINA WATERS. UAPITAL AND SURPLUS 765,000 TAELS. Brit. bk & 369 M. Verney for its inflation. "That's a capital idea, Parmanio" Cochrane 131, 132, and 133 of the Articles of Association, Brit. sh | 1225 | P. & O. S. N. Co Jenks." I said. "Do you think so? What. Murphy (such changes to take effect from 1st Novem-Quorn do you think of that? and he showed me the | DOLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all ber, 1871), the Net Profits of the Company will, SHIPPING IN MANILA HARBOUR. parts of the World, at current rates. Captain. Consignees. Destination. from that date, be distributed as follows, viz :-Vesset. breast pocket of his coat full of corks. It was This Association will, until further notice, Two-thirds (2/3rds) to all contributors, wheimpossible for me to restrain my laughter provide out of the enrings, first for an interest Flag & Rig. ther shareholders or not, in proportion to Consignees. Captain. any longer. "Number one, you know," said dividend of 15% for shareholders on Capital, Vessels. WHAMPOA. the net amount of premia contributed by Jenks, buttoning up his coat. "Number one, and thereafter distribute among Policy holders and a stiff upper lip." "You're a brave old unnually, in cash, ALL the profits of the fellow, any way, Jenks, and you're going to Underwriting Business pro rata to amount of One third (1/3rd) to Shareholders generally, STEAMERS, Cucullu & Co Span, sh Alavosa according to the number of shures held by Amboto Span. str [981 | Remedies & Co L. Ansnatogui Russell & Sturgis have the best time you ever had. I envy you." premium contributed. Boldon " 998 Peels, Hubbell & Co Amr. sh Bunker Hill RUSSELL & Co... AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., - I drove down to the boat with him, to make SAILING VESSELS. 420 | Russell & Sturgis Brit. bk Buston Valo Agents. General Agents. | Anita H. Nielson the arrangements for the shipment, and saw 250 | E. Schellbass & Co 1025 Aguirre & Co. Span. sh tf 1089 Hongkong, 9th July, 1872. Cervantes ... tf 314 Hongkong, 16th February, 1872. Brit, ali 788 Gilman & Co London him and the ostablishment safely on board. Harwood : Fren. bk 763Ker & Oo Charles Auguste THE GLOBE MARINE INSURANCE 843 Order Peru, sli Astorquia 408 F. Reyus TRE LONDON ASSURA'NCE. Camila Cavour The bottom of the carriage was loaded with Conchita COMPANY, LIMITED, LONDON. 996 Order A. Chavariel Pern; sh Agnirro & Co Columbia : appliances for securing his personal safety in \mathbf{Condor} Brit. bk 573 Jardine, Matheson & Co London. James Shearer Deerbound Amr. bk Russell & Sturgis --688case of an accident, including a billet of wood, Elsinore INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER THE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE IN-376 | F. Degenear I. Mayneur Frep. bk Deux Freres F. Munoz Span, bg Gravina which he assured me was to be used for SURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA. 793 R. S. Walker & Co. J. L. Dunn Brit, bk Falcon **659** · Ker & Co HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST John O'Gaunt blocking the wheels of the carriage in case of Ger. bk | 400 | Bourjau & Co Johann Smidt Hugemann. 399 Brit. bk F. Reyes A,D. $172\overline{0}$. THE SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSU-Luzon 283 Siemssen & Co J. G. Becker a storm. I bade him good by at last, and Ger. bk Landwursten F. Mijnoz RANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. Maria y Vicenta E. Thatcher Amr. sh | 1183 | Order went on shore, where I waited to see the Peele, Hubbell & Co Ringlander / 690TIME undersigned having been appointed Old Dominion Ger. bk 510 Wm. Pustan & Cor-Diederich steamer wheel into the stream. The last Varuna . 1 Agents for the above Corporation, are 1282 Russell & Sturgis THE Attention of Shippers is called to the low rates of Premiums charged by the Oxford Brit. bg | 197 | Order Talbot propared to grant Insurances as follows:-567 view I had of the old mun showed that he Span, ik Pepita -MARINE DEPARTMENT. 1361 | Ker & Co. Amr. 8b. had relieved himself of bat and boots, and undersigned Agents of above named Companies, Republio CANTON. 1418 | Russell & Sturgis Policies at current rates, payable either hero, Amr. sb placed himself in light swimming order. In for all steamer risks, subject to a brokerage of Sacramento in London, or at the principal Ports of India, 729 | Queullu & Co Տրոր, թև Sulvadora the place of the former he had tied a red ban-15 per cent. H.I.O.M. E. Ohov g-b. Ohing-Sing 1050 T. Herrmann & Co Ohina, and Australia. danna handkerchief around his head, and for The "Opsterling," as well as the "Globe," the latter he had substituted slippers. He after paying the Shareholders a dividend of 10 Bir J. Family H.I.C.M. H.I.O.M. <u>g</u>-0, Poynter: FIRE DEPARTMENT. Chen jui 1139 | Russell & Sturgis Amr. sh Southern Cross Robinson g-0, 1152 | Peele, Hubbell & Co had entirely forgotten me and the existence per cent, of the surplus of the profits pro rate current entes. Olien-to Brit. sb Stonehouse : Customs Chop 392 G.V. P. Petel & Co Demerara Telegraph H:LCM. Wright of such a town as Bradford. Looking 730 | Russell & Sturgis A discount of 20 % allowed. Fre-loong Amr. bk dreamily down the river, out towards that during the year £500 and upwards in premium. Unn H.I.C.M. 617 | Peele, Hubbell & Co Fei-bo Clayson Aus. bk LIFE DEPARTMENT. 261 | Castillo Hermanos Graves A. Heard & Co., Agents Land up Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, B'ei wan mysterious sea, on which his childish imagin- Particulars can be obtained at the Office of Villa de Rivadavia H.I.C.M. Coaker | on reasonable terms. ation had dwelt so long, and of which he SIEMSSEN & Co. H.I.C.M. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co." Man-nien-tsing Sum-shün-fat · cor. Printed & Published for the proprietor, by W. H. BELL, Wyndham, Street, Hongkong.

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tf 1363 Hongkong, 26th July, 1872.

stood in such mortal fear, he possed out-of

sight .- From "Arthur Bonnicastle."

if 40 Hongkong, 16th October, 1872.